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BIRTHS.

On the 25th March, at her residence, Aston-terrace, Collins-street, Surry Hills, Mrs. CHARLES F. DUNN, of a son.

On the 31st March, at her residence, Macquarie-street South, the wife of Mr. JAMES LOWE, of a son.

On the 1st instant, at the Royal Hotel, Queanbeyan, the wife of W. R. M'CARTHY, Esq., J.P., Glenwood, of a daughter.

On the 1st instant, at her residence, Norwood, the wife of J. E. WILSON, City Architect, of a son.

On the 3rd instant, at her residence, Caylus, Ocean-street, Woollahra, the wife of J. C. NEILD, jun., of a son.

On the 3rd instant, at the residence of her parents, Hope House, Manly Beach, the wife of WILLIAM BROUX, Esq., of a son, stillborn.

MARRIAGE.

On the 1st instant, at St. James's Church, Rylstone, by the Rev. J. H. Mullens, EDWARD, second son of the late Mr. WILLIAM BEAVOR, Newtown, to ARABEL, second daughter of Mr. JOHN PARVIS, miller, Rylstone.

DEATHS.

On the 1st instant, at his residence, Upper Paddington, WALTER D. HARRISON, late of South Yarra, Melbourne, leaving a wife and a large circle of friends to deplore their loss. Died of the inflammation of the lungs.

On the 6th instant, at his residence, 478, Crown-street, Surry Hills, EDWARD PORTER, sen., aged 60 years, an old and respected colonist.

On the 8th instant, at his residence, Norwood, Mr. J. H. WILLIS, City Architect, aged 48 years.

SHIPPING.

UNITED STATES, NEW ZEALAND, and AUSTRALIA MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE.

Under contract for the Conveyance of her Majesty's Mails.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO PASSENGERS AND SHIPPERS.

The following splendid Al side-wheel steamships will be dispatched for San Francisco, viz.:—

NEVADA....2146 tons register, 800-horse power
NEBRASKA.2142 " " 800 "
DACOTAH ..2340 " " 800 "

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY will dispatch their powerful STEAMSHIP WONGA WONGA, FROM SYDNEY, on 12th April, to connect at Auckland with the MAIL STEAMER NEVADA, leaving there for HONOLULU, SAN FRANCISCO, NEW YORK, and ENGLAND, 18th APRIL.

SHIPPERS of WOOL and other PRODUCE are notified that arrangements can be made for delivery of goods on THROUGH BILLS LADING at SAN FRANCISCO, NEW YORK, and other EASTERN CITIES: LIVERPOOL and LONDON.

THROUGH FARES FROM SYDNEY TO—

	Honolulu.	San Francisco.	New York.	Liverpool.
1st Class ..	£30	£40	£70	£82 10 0
2nd " ..	20	30	60	67 10 0
3rd " ..	15	20	35	40 0 0

London Agents—
Messrs. H. STARR and Co.,
Moorgate-street, London.

For all further particulars apply to
WM. LAIDLEY and CO., Agents,
Lloyd's-chambers.

C. AND N. E. S. N. COMPANY'S STEAMSHIP to NEW ENGLAND, for GRAFTON, via NEWCASTLE, TO-MORROW, at 9 p.m. C. WISEMAN, Manager. Offices—Commercial Wharf.

THE C. AND R. R. S. N. CO.'S STEAMSHIPS.

To GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER, via NEWCASTLE, the BALLINA, TO-MORROW NIGHT, Tuesday, at 9.

To MACLEAY RIVER, via NEWCASTLE, taking cargo for Nambucca and Bellinger Rivers (to be transhipped), the PLATYPUS, TO-MORROW NIGHT, Tuesday, at 8.

To TAREE, Manning River, direct, the FIRE KING, twenty-four hours after arrival.

WM. WILLIAMS, Secretary.
Surrey-street.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS.

TO MELBOURNE.—City of Melbourne, with Californian mails, 12 hours after arrival; and City of Adelaide, to-morrow afternoon, Tuesday, at 4.30. Fares at current rates.

TO AUCKLAND.—Wonga Wonga, Friday, 12th instant, at 4.30 p.m.

TO HUNTER RIVER. — Florence Irving, to-night, Monday, at 11; and Coonanbara, Wednesday night, at 11. Goods for Martin's Wharf, Miller's Forest, and Paterson River, forwarded, per Florence Irving, to-night.

TO BRISBANE.—City of Brisbane, Wednesday afternoon, at 5.

TO MARYBOROUGH.—Steamer early.

TO ROCKHAMPTON. — Balclutha, 48 hours after arrival.

TO CLEVELAND BAY, VIA PORT DENISON.—Boomerang, on or about Thursday, 11th instant.

CARGO is now being received for transmission to any of the above ports.

NO CARGO received for the steamers going to Melbourne or Queensland, after 3 p.m. on their day of sailing.

FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.
A. S. N. Co.'s Wharf, Sussex-street.

HUNTER RIVER N. S. N. CO.—STEAM TO NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, &c.

TO-MORROW (Tuesday) NIGHT, at 11, the MAITLAND.

On THURSDAY MORNING, at 7, the MORPETH.

F. J. THOMAS, Manager.
Offices—foot of Market-street.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.

REGULAR COMMUNICATION.

The MELBOURNE STEAMSHIP COMPANY will dispatch the following STEAMER, viz.:—
MACEDON,
on THURSDAY, April 11th,
at 12 o'clock NOON.

THE SALOON IS AMIDSHIPS.

The attention of second-class passengers is directed to the accommodation provided in the above vessel, with enclosed cabins for females and families.

WM. HOWARD SMITH,
Struth's Wharf.

STEAM TO NEWCASTLE.

The MELBOURNE STEAMSHIP COMPANY will dispatch the following steamer, viz.:—
MACEDON,
THIS DAY, MONDAY, April 8th,
at 6 o'clock p.m.
FARES:
Saloon 10s
Steerage 5s

WM. HOWARD SMITH,
Struth's Wharf.

STEAM TO NOUMEA, NEW CALEDONIA—The fast and powerful steamship HAVILAH will be dispatched as above, within twenty-four hours after the arrival of the Suez mail.

For freight or passage apply to MONTEFIORE and MONTEFIORE, Gresham-street, next Exchange.

STEAM FOR NEW ZEALAND.

The fine powerful steamship
HERO,
850 tons register, 300-horse power,
Thomas Logan, commander,
will leave Grafton Wharf,
FOR AUCKLAND DIRECT,
on SATURDAY, 13th instant, at 4 p.m.

PASSENGERS and CARGO booked through to ALL THE SOUTHERN PORTS.

GOODS RECEIVED FREE OF WHARFAGE.

SHIPPING ORDERS required.

ELDRED and SPENCE, 62, Margaret-street.

STEAM TO HOBART TOWN.—Steamship CITY OF HOBART, from Grafton Wharf, on TUESDAY, 16th instant, at 12 noon.

WILLIS, LLOYD and CO.

MANLY BEACH.—STEAMER, THIS DAY, leaves Queen's Wharf, 10.15, 2.15, 5.30
Woolloomooloo, 10 30, 2.30
Manly Beach, 8 15, 12, 4 15.
Fare—Return ticket, 1s 6d; children, 1s.

THOMAS HESELTON.

NO INTENDING PASSENGERS FOR LONDON.

The favourite passenger ship COMMISSARY, A1 for years, will sail about 4th May.

This ship, with her splendid saloon accommodation, stands at reduced rates, all the advantages of the well-known season ships.

Carries an experienced surgeon.

A cow will be put on board for the use of passengers.

RATES OF PASSAGE:
Saloon, as per agreement
Second class, £21.

Apply on board, at Circular Quay, to Captain WAGGAFF; or to GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

FOR MELBOURNE, the clipper schooner Annie Benton. For freight apply C. B. Bond, 64, Sussex-st.

ILLAWARRA S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS.—TO WOLLONGONG.—John Penn, THIS DAY, at noon
Hunter, TO-NIGHT, at 11,
EDEN.—John Penn, THIS DAY, at noon.
KIAMA.—Hunter, TO-NIGHT, at 11.
SHOALHAVEN.—Kiama, TO-MORROW, at 11 p.m.
MERIMBULA.—Hunter, WEDNESDAY, 9 a.m.
ULLADULLA.—Kiama, FRIDAY, at 9 a.m.
CLYDE RIVER.—Kiama, FRIDAY, at 9 a.m.
MORUYA.—Kiama, FRIDAY, 19th instant.

PARRAMATTA RIVER STEAMERS—EMU, ADELAIDE, and PELICAN—FROM FOOT OF KING-STREET, DAILY.

FOR PARRAMATTA—7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5.
FOR HUNTER'S HILL—7, 9, 11, 1.15, 3, 5, 6.15, 11 p.m.
From Parramatta—6.50, 9, 11 a.m., 1, 3, 5 p.m.
From Hunter's Hill—8.15, 9, 10.15 a.m.; 12.15, 2.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15 p.m.

Calling at Balmain, Biloela, Hunter's Hill, Gladesville, Ryde, Armington, Newington, Subiaco, Parramatta.

First-class omnibuses in attendance at Parramatta to convey excursionists to and from the steamers and the Park, and Parramotta North. Fare, 3d.

Fares at half the Railway Rates.

FOR LONDON.—The AGNES ROSE, so well-known as a favourite passenger ship, will be dispatched early in April.

Intending passengers are invited to inspect the accommodation.

GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., Agents.
Wool received at Flood's.

SHIP "THE TWEED," FOR LONDON.

NOTICE TO PASSENGERS.

Passengers will please be on board by noon on TUESDAY next, the 9th instant, as a steamer will be alongside at that time to tow the vessel to sea.

Balances of passage money must be paid at the office of the undersigned at once.

LEARMONTH, DICKINSON, and CO.

FOR HONGKONG.

The ship WHIRLWIND, 886 tons register, Captain Thomas Graham.

This vessel will be dispatched on the 15th instant.

For freight or passage apply to
SMITH, BROTHERS, and CO.

FOR HONGKONG.

FOR LIGHT FREIGHT AND CHINESE PASSENGERS ONLY.

The beautiful clipper barque,
MARY BLAIR,
500 tons, will be dispatched on TUESDAY, 9th April.

For freight or passage apply on board, at Moore's Wharf; or to
JOHN FRAZER and CO., York-street.

FOR LOMA LOMA direct.—The clipper schooner TUI LAU, Schott, master, is now receiving cargo at GRAFTON WHARF, and will be dispatched on 16th instant.

For freight or passage, apply to
RABONE, FEEZ, and CO.

FOR WELLINGTON.—The fine clipper barque
LADY BIRD,
230 tons register, G. Holm, commander, is now receiving cargo at the Grafton Wharf, and will be dispatched in a few days.

Has first-class accommodation for both cabin and steerage passengers.

For freight or passage apply to the Captain, on board; or, LEARMONTH, DICKINSON, and CO.

CIRCULAR SAW LINE OF SAILING PACKETS.

For AUCKLAND.

The clipper barque,
LEONIDAS, Captain Fleck,
having a large portion of her cargo engaged, will be dispatched in a few days.

For freight or passage, apply on board, at Broomfield and Whitaker's wharf; or to
WILLIAM LAIDLEY and CO.,
Lloyd's-chambers.

N.B.—Goods received for this vessel FREE of WHARFAGE.

FOR TOWNSVILLE.

The clipper brigantine
HANNAH BROOMFIELD
will be dispatched for the above port in a few days.

For freight or passage apply on board, at Market Wharf; or to
JOHN FRAZER and CO., York-street.

CURRAMBENE for CLEVELAND BAY.—Clears and sails TO-MORROW. Shippers are requested to complete shipments AT ONCE.

For freight or passage apply on board, at the Patent Slip Wharf; or to THOMAS IRELAND and CO., corner George and Hunter streets.

SPUNKIE, FOR NORMANTON, GULF OF CARPENTARIA.

The SPUNKIE leaves Albion Wharf early THIS DAY, Monday. Has room for two cabin passengers.

Immediate application is necessary.

Apply to Captain BROWNE, on board.

FOR ROCKHAMPTON.—The clipper schooner CIRCE, Ellis, master, now fast loading at Parbury's Wharf, CLEARS AND SAILS on TUESDAY. For freight, &c., apply to
PARBURY, LAMB, and CO.

N.B.—Goods received free of wharfage.

TWEED RIVER.—Schooner BERTHA, first fair wind. Freight payable on shipment. Victoria Wharf.

FOR PORT MACQUARIE, EUROKA, from Com. Wharf, TUESDAY next. CAMROUX, King-st.

FOR PORT MACQUARIE.—THOMAS and HENRY. E. LOWTHER, Sussex-street.

FOR MANNING RIVER, GORILLA. For freight apply on board, Patent Slip Wharf.

FOR BOORAL WHARF, PORT STEPHENS.—The schooner MYALL, on TUESDAY.
BROOMFIELD, and WHITAKER, Albion Wharf.

MACLEAY RIVER.—The CENTURION TO-MORROW. Apply on board, Victoria Wharf.

FOR GERRINGONG.—AGENORIA, THIS DAY, at 4 p.m. Caledonian Wharf. S. NUTTER, Agent.

SHIP COMMISSARY, from London.—Consignees by this vessel are requested to pass ENTRIES at once for Circular Wharf. Any goods impeding the discharge will be cleared, landed, and stored at consignees' risk and expense, and the ship will not be responsible for any damage to or loss of cargo after it is landed.

Bills of lading must be produced at the office of the undersigned, and orders for delivery obtained, before any goods can leave the wharf.

GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., Agents.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.—The Consignees of the undermentioned goods are informed that if freight is not paid and delivery taken by THIS DAY, at noon, they will be sold towards defraying expenses, viz.:—
JE—12 packages fish, shipped by Emerson, Colville, and Co., ex s. s. Nevada, from San Francisco to Auckland and transhipped per barque Alice Cameron to Sydney, consigned to J. Emerson.
1 case powder, ex Ottawa, from Sweer's Island, consigned to Order.

WILLIAM LAIDLEY, and CO.,
Lloyd's-chambers.

FOR FREIGHT or CHARTER.—The well-known clipper barque JANET DALGLEISH, 376 tons register, F. Matthew, commander, is open for employment to any part of the world. This vessel is now discharging a cargo of sugar in splendid order. For further particulars apply to W. LAIDLEY and CO., Agents, Lloyd's-chambers.

FOR SALE, Yacht CLIO. Apply to Captain SPALDING, N. S. W. A., Dawes Battery.

FOR SALE, FREIGHT, or CHARTER.—The clipper schooner SUSANNAH BOOTH, 111 tons register, carries 190 tons, colonial-built. Apply on board to Captain Chulow; or to H. S. Bird and Co., Circular Qy.

FOR SALE, FREIGHT, or CHARTER, clipper Schooner MAY QUEEN, 73 tons register; carries 120 tons cargo; well-found; light draught.

BLOW and WALSH, 11 and 13, King-street West.

FOR SALE, the fine new Three-masted Schooner MONARCH, faithfully built at Cleveland, of the best colonial hardwood; carries 300 tons of general cargo on a draught of 6 feet, and is admirably adapted for the timber trade on the coast. For all particulars apply to

ELDRED and SPENCE, 62, Margaret-street.

ON SALE, by private treaty, a fine BRIG, specially adapted for the Colonial trade, built at Aberdeen, 214 tons register, carries 340 tons dead weight, on 11.6 water, stands without ballast, and has just delivered in this Port a cargo of tea without a stain. Apply to

JOSEPH WARD and CO.

FIRST-CLASS SHIP wanted, to load for London. DANGAR, GEDYE, and CO., 21, Macquarie-place.

WANTED, to purchase a small VESSEL, of light draught, suitable for being turned into a screw lighter. Box 338.

PERSONS ADVERTISED FOR.

MRS. EDGAR (late Miss Suttie), Teacher, please CALL on H. NEWTON, 788, George-street.

WILL Mr. H. O. PATON, from Fiji, kindly CALL on R. DOUGLAS, 19, Hunter-street.

MEETINGS.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.

TWENTY-THIRD ANNUAL MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Twenty-third Annual MEETING of the members of the Society will be held at the Principal Offices, New Pitt-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of April next, at 2.30 p.m., for the purpose of

1. Receiving the Report of the Directors on the business of the Society for the past year.
2. Electing two Directors in lieu of Boulton Molineaux, Esq., and John Fairfax, Esq., who retire in terms of By-law II., both of whom are eligible for re-election.
3. Electing an Auditor in lieu of Henry Phillips, Esq., who retires in terms of By-law XVII.

The following duly qualified members have intimated their intention of being candidates for the Seats to become vacant at the Board of Directors, viz.:—

JOHN FAIRFAX, Esq.
S. A. JOSEPH, Esq.
J. H. GOODLET, Esq.

By-law XLIV provides that at the Election of Directors "Members not present may vote only by attorney or by "writing with their own hands, on some date subsequent "to the publication of the names of all the candidates for "election, a paper in the following form, showing for whom "they respectively vote; and this paper so written must be "sent to the Head Office of the Society in Sydney, addressed "to THE SCRUTINEERS, TO THE CARE OF THE SECRETARY; "and no such paper shall have any effect if any part of it be "printed, or should there be any material error or omission "in it, or if any part of it be in the handwriting of any person "other than the Member himself, except as hereinafter pro-"vided: or if it arrive after the commencement of the Meet-"ing, or if two or more such papers be received from the "same person without the last thereof expressly revoking all "the other ones. Provided that in case of a Member who is "unable to write, a voting paper written by his authority, "to which his mark duly attested shall be affixed by him, "shall be deemed to be a sufficient compliance with the pro-"visions of this By-Law.

"I, ... vote for
.....
"and .....
"to fill the office of Directors of the Australian Mutual "Provident Society.
"Residence .....
"Dated this.....day of.....1872.
"(Signature).....

Dated at Sydney, this 25th day of March, 1872.

By order of the Board,
ALEXANDER J. RALSTON,
General Secretary.

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I have the honour to inform you that I am a CANDIDATE for the office of Director of our Society, to be elected at the next ensuing Annual Meeting.

It is neither my intention to importune you by any personal canvass nor to trouble you by soliciting your votes through the medium of an agent, because I deem it better for our mutual interest that you should be quite free to make your own choice.

The fact of my being one of the largest policy-holders, and that I formerly filled the office of Director for a period of four years (during which time I assisted in effecting some very beneficial changes in the management), will, I trust, be considered by you as sufficient guarantee that, if elected, my best energies will be devoted to the success of a Society in which, in common with you all, I am so deeply interested.

S. A. JOSEPH.

4, O'Connell-street, 14th March, 1872.

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I beg to announce myself as a candidate for the vacant seat in the directorate of our Institution, to be filled up on the 24th of April next.

For the information of members at a distance, I may state that I was a member of the "Investigation Committee," whose onerous duties extended over many months, and subsequently a director for three years until my departure for England, during which period, many important alterations were effected in the management of the society, which gave me an unusual opportunity of gaining an insight into its affairs.

Soliciting your support and votes, I beg to call the attention of those members who cannot attend the annual meeting, to the forty-fourth by-law, which requires all voting papers to be written out by members, with their own hands, and worded according to annexed form.

Your obedient servant,
JOHN H. GOODLET.

Sydney, 14th March, 1872.

I vote for to fill the office of Director of the Australian Mutual Provident Society.
Dated this day of 1872.
(Signature and address).

TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE ILLAWARRA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I withdrew from your Board in April last, in pursuance of the provisions of the Deed of Settlement, requiring the retirement of one Director absolutely: and I now beg leave to offer myself for re-election.

Should it be your pleasure to favour me with your support, no effort shall be wanting on my part to promote the welfare of our undertaking.

I am, Ladies and Gentlemen,
Your obedient Servant,
JAMES BYRNES.

Edgeworth Cottage, Parramatta, 28th March.

NEW GUINEA EXPEDITION.—A MEETING will be held THIS (Monday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock, at PUNCH'S HOTEL, for the purpose of assisting the survivors of the late unfortunate expedition.

CIVIL SERVICE CLUB.—A Balloting MEETING of the members will take place, at the Club House, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th instant, between the hours of 1 and 2, and 4 and 5 p.m.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Hon. Sec.

ENGINEERING ASSOCIATION of NEW SOUTH WALES.—Monthly MEETING will be held at the Masonic Hall, on Wednesday next. Business—Mr. Croll to read a paper: Colonial material for the manufacture of machinery.

THE SURVIVORS OF THE NEW GUINEA EXPEDITION.—A Public MEETING of gentlemen disposed to promote a subscription for those survivors of this unfortunate expedition who have neither funds nor friends in Sydney, will be held at Punch's Hotel, King and Pitt streets, at 8 p.m., THIS EVENING.

MASONIC.—Leinster Marine Lodge, No. 265, I.C.—Monthly Meeting THIS (Monday) EVENING, 7.30.

MASONIC.—A MEETING of the Robert Burns Lodge, No. 817, E. C., will be held at, the FREEMASONS' HALL, York-street, THIS EVENING, Monday, 8th April instant, at half-past 7 o'clock, precisely.

By order of the W. M.

L. O. I.—Monthly MEETING of Grand Lodge on TUESDAY NIGHT. W. H. Davies, Secretary.

L. O. L. DUKE OF EDINBURGH, No. 33.—Usual Monthly MEETING, THIS EVENING, at half-past 7, Oddfellows' Hall, Balmain. By order of the W. M.

NO. 2, SCHOMBERG L. O. L.—Special MEETING, THIS EVENING, 7.30, Kent-street. Business important; every member requested to be present.

R. LEE, Secretary.

CORDWAINER'S PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION OF N. S. W.—A General MEETING, THIS (Monday) EVENING, April 8th, University Hotel, Glebe. P. F. RATTIGAN, Chairman; M. KEOGH, Secretary.

LAY CATHOLIC PROTECTION SOCIETY N. S. W.—A full MEETING of the members of the various branches in the city and suburbs, THIS EVENING, Monday, at 8 o'clock, in the United Temperance Hall.

J. J. GILCHRIST, Secretary.

RELIGIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

WESLEYAN CHURCH SUSTENTATION AND EXTENSION SOCIETY.

The ANNUAL MEETING of this Society will be held in the York-street Church, on WEDNESDAY EVENING next, April the 10th, when the Report of the Society will be read, and addresses delivered by the Revs. E. Chapman, President of the Conference; J. B. Waterhouse, W. Clarke, W. Curnow, and G. Martin.

The chair will be taken by J. WEARNE, Esq., M.L.A., at half-past 7.

G. HURST, } General
E. VICKERY, } Secretaries.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH, from 4s 6d; extracting, stopping, or cleaning, 1s, C. Edwards, dentist, 6, Bridge-st.

MISERERIMUS.

MEETINGS OF PUBLIC COMPANIES.

ABERCROMBIE GROUND SLUICING COMPANY'S Share List is CLOSED. A MEETING of the Directors will take place on TUESDAY, at 11 o'clock a.m., at the Office of C. BACON, Greville's Rooms.

JOHNSON'S GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited).

A Special General MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Chamber of Commerce, Sydney, on MONDAY, the 8th day of April, 1872, at 4 o'clock p.m., in order to approve the Deed of Settlement, and to transact any other business which may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Board,
G. A. RUSSELL,
Legal Manager.

Sydney, 19th March, 1872.

OPHIR COPPER MINING COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Special General MEETING of the shareholders of the Ophir Copper Mining Company will be held at the offices of Messrs. Gilchrist and Weston, 5, Spring-street, on THURSDAY, the 11th day of April next, at 2.30 p.m., to consider the propriety of making certain alterations in the Deed of Settlement, with a view to providing capital for the purpose of recommencing mining and smelting operations at the Company's property, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Board,
W. J. WESTON, Sec. pro tem.

WEST KROHMANN GOLD MINING CO.—This Company, having been formed, a MEETING of the Shareholders will be held in the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange, on TUESDAY next, the 9th instant, at half-past 4 o'clock, for the purpose of electing Directors, &c.

BARTON and MELHADO, Brokers to the Company.

SYDNEY INSURANCE COMPANY.—A Half-yearly General MEETING of Shareholders will be held, at the Company's Offices, on MONDAY, the 15th current, at 2 p.m., to receive the report of the directors for the half-year ending 31st March, 1872.

By order of the Board,
ALEXANDER THOMSON, Secretary.

Pitt and Hunter streets, 4th April.

VOLUNTEER NOTICES.

5 BATTERY, V.A.—Members attending Herr Carl Schmitt's Concert, TO-NIGHT, are requested to wear full dress uniform with cross-belts only.

W. GORE BEVERLEY, Captain.

PRINCE ALFRED'S OWN BATTERY, V.A.—Members are requested to attend Herr Carl Schmitt's Concert THIS EVENING, at the Masonic Hall, in full uniform, side arms only.

Traversing Gun Drill Dawes Battery, WEDNESDAY EVENING next, at 7.30 sharp. J. B. BAMFORD, Capt.

NO. 2 CO.—Special Company DRILL, THIS EVENING, Hyde Park, 7.30. Committee will MEET at Volunteer Club after drill.

C. A. WILSON, Captain.

5 CO.—DRILL (particularly for new rifles) TO-NIGHT, Hyde Park, 7.30. A. O. MORIARTY.

SOUTH SYDNEY V.R.—Special Parade TUESDAY NIGHT, 7.45 sharp, Railway. Major Jaques will drill the Company. Every member attend in full dress; officers in undress. J. B. HILLIER, Lieut. Commanding.

SMALL BORE RIFLE CLUB.—Prize MEETING, and 4th COMPETITION for Dangar Prize, THURSDAY next, 2.30 p.m. 800 and 900 yards.

W. FREEMAN, Secretary.

VOLUNTEER LAND ORDERS wanted. Dangar, Gedye, and Co., 21, Macquarie-place.

LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND, a BOAT. Apply ROBERT LINTON, Shark Island.

LOST, April 3, Quondong EARDROP, between Charles and Duke streets. Reward. 94, Duke-st.

LOST, a Greyhound DOG, on Friday evening, 5th instant; handsome reward. W. H. HARRIS, Ultimo.

LOST, from buggy, Lady's CLOAK. Reward at second Cottage from Chapel, Moncur-st., Woollahra.

LOST, Dark Brown MARE, Saddle, Bridle; 4 on near shoulder. Reward. Seabrook, Moncur-st., Woollahra.

LOST, a POODLE, name Floss. Reward. Apply 27, Lower Goulburn-street.

LOST, on SATURDAY, CHEQUE drawn by Rev Thomas Smith in favour of E. Sadler, together with £1 note and 2s 6d. Cheque stopped. Finder rewarded on returning same to Edward Sadler, 143, King-street.

LOST, on Friday afternoon, two CERTIFICATES for Fifty Cases Kerosene, in Towns's Bonded Warehouse. Delivery stopped. Any one returning them to C. KIDMAN, South Head Road, will be rewarded.

LOST, on Thursday last, between Randwick Racecourse and Lower George-street, a Gold NECKLET; also, small Gold CROSS, and small SCENTHOLDER. Finder rewarded. E. J. HOLLINGDALE, Jeweller, 104, King-st.

LOST, on Saturday afternoon, between Upper William-street and Wynyard-square, a Black Enamelled BROOCH, with pearls, on back of which
B. S. Grahame, in full.
Reward will be given at Mr. LAMB'S, Jeweller, Hunter-street.

£1 REWARD.—STOLEN or STRAYED from the Glebe, strawberry COW, wide horns, bald face, branded CC over 4 and AKM. Any one returning her to J. OXLEY, Esq., will receive the above reward.

CALLS ON SHARES.

BOORAK CONSOLS QUARTZ-MINING CO.—NOTICE.—Shareholders are requested to pay the allotment CALL of 8s per share to Mr. ROBERTS, Broker, Greville's Rooms, on or before THIS DAY, April 8.

THOMAS CORNISH, Manager.

SOUTHERN CROSS GOLD-MINING CO. (Limited).

A CALL upon allotment of 2s 6d per share is payable at the Company's Office on or before the 15th instant.

By order of the Board,
WILLIAM WALKER,
Legal Manager.

Bell's-chambers, 175, Pitt-street.

THE RISING SUN GOLD MINING COMPANY, DIRT HOLES, TAMBAROORA.

Shareholders are informed that a First CALL of ONE POUND per share will be due, and payable at the office of the Company, on or before WEDNESDAY, 10th April.

ALFRED CHANDLER,
Legal Manager.

401, George-street, Sydney.

STOCK, SHARES AND MONEY.

THE LILY OF THE VALLEY GOLD MINING COMPANY.

A few Shares not taken up. For particulars apply to Mr. BOLES, at the office of Mr. Thomas Rowe, Architect, Vickery's-chambers.

A MEETING of shareholders will be duly called for WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON next.

CARROLL, BEARD, AND CO.'S CLAIM, HAWKINS HILL.

The undersigned has ONE-QUARTER of a SHARE in this Claim for SALE, being one-twelfth of the whole. This claim is next to Krohman's, and is 90 feet wide. They are now working out splendid gold. It may be had in tenths of the quarter-share.

Price, £360 each.

J. MULLENS,
Share Broker.

131, Pitt-street, 6th April, 1872.

JOHN T. HOBBS, Mining Agent, &c., &c.,
108, Pitt-street (Gibbs, Shallard, and Co.),
has the following SHARES for SALE—
200 Hill End, 100 Leviathan, 100 Nonpareil, 1000 Tuena Central, 2 Nuggety, N. Star (1 Prop., 1 Cont.), 40 P. Downs Consols, 800 Mulloon Copper, Locomotive (working and contributing), 1-5th share of a company now forming.

FOR SALE, FOUR-FIFTHS of a COPPER LODE bearing one and a half ounce of gold to the ton. Lode tested 100 feet deep, 2½ feet wide; also, a COPPER SELECTION, 40 per cent. ore, near Gladstone. For particulars address Prospector, HERALD Office.

ARTHUR LL. EASTON has for SALE
200 Sydney Tin, 3s
100 Ruby Tin
1000 Mulloon
3 Great Extended, Tuena.
Greville's Rooms, Sydney.

PROMOTERS' INTEREST in a Lease at Hill End; Marshall's Line. C. BACON.

MONEY. MONEY. MONEY.

MERCANTILE LOAN and DISCOUNT COMPANY.

98, Elizabeth-street, next Brigade Office.

The Proprietors of this Company are prepared to offer advantages to persons in want of accommodation. SUMS OF £5 to £10,000 advanced on deposit of DEEDS, either Freehold or Leasehold. BILLS OF LADING, BONDED CERTIFICATES, SHARES, INSURANCE POLICIES, or any other tangible security.

BILLS OF SALE taken on FURNITURE (without possession.)

Money advanced upon Personal or other security, repayable by weekly, monthly, or quarterly instalments.

NO BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Trade Bills discounted daily at current rates.

LOANS can be obtained for any period, and renewals arranged for if required.

All transactions entertained, and advances made without delay, if the security be approved of.

MONEY.

NATIONAL LOAN & DISCOUNT COMPANY.
Capital, £50,000. Offices—51, Hunter-street.

The Directors of this Company negotiate monetary and financial business of every description.

BILLS DISCOUNTED DAILY.

SUMS of £10 to £10,000 can be obtained on PERSONAL OR OTHER SECURITY, repayable by weekly, monthly, or quarterly instalments.

LOANS can also be procured for any period, and renewals arranged for if required.

ADVANCES made upon personal security, mortgage, deposit of deeds (freehold or leasehold), bills of sale, merchandise, bonded certificates, stocks and shares, life assurance policies, or any other tangible security.

LEGACIES, BEQUESTS, and REVERSIONARY INTERESTS, either in the colonies, Great Britain, or elsewhere, purchased or advanced upon.

GOOD TRADE BILLS discounted at slight advance upon BANK RATES.

All transactions held strictly confidential.
NO BILLS REDISCOUNTED.

Every facility given to borrowers, and advances made within a few hours after application, if approved of.

Forms and all information can be obtained gratuitously at the Company's Offices. Hours, 9 to 5. Saturdays, 9 to 1.

EDGAR RAY, Manager.

MONEY. MONEY. MONEY.

LONDON LOAN and DISCOUNT SOCIETY, 125, Elizabeth-street South, next St. James's School. First established in Sydney.

THIS SOCIETY is established to assist tradesmen and others, on the following terms:—MONEY ADVANCED in sums varying from £5 to £1000 on security of two responsible householders, TO BE REPAID BY WEEKLY INSTALMENTS OF 1s in the pound. Persons desirous of obtaining £5 receive £4 10s cash. THE ADVANCE GUARANTEED WITHIN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS IF THE SECURITIES ARE APPROVED OF.

ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE FOR MONTHLY OR QUARTERLY PAYMENTS.

BILLS OF SALE ON FURNITURE, without possession.

ADVANCES MADE upon MORTGAGE, DEPOSIT of DEEDS (freehold or leasehold), MERCHANDISE, BONDED CERTIFICATES, STOCKS and SHARES, ASSURANCE POLICIES, or any other TANGIBLE Security.

LEGACIES, BEQUESTS, and REVERSIONARY INTERESTS purchased or advanced upon.

Good TRADE BILLS discounted at SLIGHT advance upon BANK RATES.

Forms may be had gratis.

No Bills Rediscounted.

BAND AND ALBION CONSOLS.—Messrs. BARTON and MELHADO are prepared to BUY or SELL SHARES in this Mine, at current market rates.

Latest telegrams from Ballarat and Melbourne can be seen daily at their Office, 165, Pitt-street.

SHARES FOR SALE by the Undersigned:—
Australian Joint Stock Bank
Bank of New South Wales
City Bank
Union Bank
Bank of New Zealand
Australasian Steam
Peak Downs Copper
Newstead Tin
Sydney Tin
Pioneer Tin
Caledonian Tin.

J. MULLENS,
131, Pitt-street.

H. W. FOSTER and CO., Mining Agents, Greville's-chambers, 2nd floor, have for SALE—
SONS OF FREEDOM, Hawkins Hill.
ROYAL GEORGE, Gulgong.
PEAK DOWNS CONSOLS.
ARMSTRONGS. MOUNT PERRY.
GOLD—Glen Rock, Fortuna, ¼ Kaloola, Caledonian, Nuggetty, Leviathan, Nonpareil, Hill End, Lady Belmore, Enterprise, Golden Chain, Sandhurst, Red Hill, Independent No. 2, Tambaroora and Sydney, Tuena Central, 1-20 ten men's ground, Dun Dun, rich stone at grass, Princess Louise, Enterprise, Golconda, Magellan Cloud.
COPPER—Mulloons.
TIN—Ruby, Sydney, Pioneer, New Cornwall, Mount Mitchell.
INSURANCE—Mutual Fire, Sydney Fire.
WANTED—200 United Fire, 100 Pacific Fire, 30 Johnson's Gold.

H. W. F. and Co. pay special attention to the negotiation of Shares for either sale or purchase. Free list kept, and every information afforded to constituents.

Applications for Shares received in the South Star, No. 3; New Eureka, Sir Hercules, and Golden Treasure, Tuena Companies.

SHARES for SALE in the rich Gold-bearing Reefs in New England, Garibaldi, Solferino, Borak, Little River; 20 Phœnix Tribute, 30s each.

C. BACON.

GEORGE HART, Sharebroker, Vickery's-chambers, Pitt-street. MINING SHARES for SALE.

PEAK DOWNS, Mount Perry, BISMARK, KROHMANN'S, City Bank, and Shares in nearly all the various Gold, Tin, and Copper Mining Companies.

B. PLASHETT RODD, Stock and Share Broker and Estate Agent, 132, Pitt-street.

FOR SALE.—Sydney Fire Shares, Shale and Oil, Gold, Tin, Mining and other shares.

CHATFIELD and MACKENZIE,
69, Pitt-street.

SHARES for SALE in the FOREST ROSE GOLD MINING COMPANY, on Symes's and the Welcome line of Reefs.

CAPITAL—£1500, in 6000 shares of 5s each.

Provisional Directors:
Henry Allen, Esq. James Small, Esq.
D. Williamson, Esq.

Scrip may be had from the Secretary, at the Company's Offices, 347½, George-street, Sydney; or from any of the Directors.

E. BINGHAM, Secretary.

SHARES for SALE in the GREAT WHEEL OF FORTUNE, HAWKINS HILL PROPER.

Scrip and Prospectuses may be had at the Company's Offices, 347½, George-street. A Director attends daily to afford all requisite information. Plans and specimens on view. As a large number of the shares are now taken up, the list will close very soon.

E. BINGHAM, Secretary.

SHARES for SALE in several small Companies—Gold and Tin, promoters' and subscribing.

E. BINGHAM.

30 SHARES for SALE—Clan Campbell's, £1 paid up. E. JOHNSON, Broker, &c., 19, Hunter-st.

SHARES FOR SALE.

50 ROYAL GEORGE.
LYELL, WHITING, and CO., 323, George-street.

£20

PUBLIC COMPANIES.

PROSPECTUS of the GUNTAWANG FREEHOLD GOLD MINING COMPANY, ROUSE'S PADDOCK, GULGONG.

To be registered under the Limited Liability Mining Partnership Act, 24 Vic., No. 21.

Capital, £40,000 in 40,000 Shares of £1 each.

7000 Paid-up Shares to be held by the present Proprietary. 33,000 will be offered to the Public.

2s per share on application, 2s on allotment, and 1s on issue of scrip; balance by calls not exceeding 1s per month.

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS:
Richard Rouse, J.P.
James Sellman, Esq.
B. Benjamin, Esq.
J. Coghlan, Esq.
Michael Delille, Esq.
Edward Clarke, Esq.
E. N. Emmett, Esq., Sydney.
BANKERS:
Bank of New South Wales.
SOLICITOR:
G. M. Dunn, Mudgee and Gulgong.
LEGAL MANAGER:
John Coghlan.
MINING MANAGER pro tem.:
J. F. Conway.
BROKERS:
E. N. Emmett, Greville's Rooms, George-street.
Plunkett and Co., Gulgong.

Plan of the property on view at E. N. Emmett's offices.

This leviathan Mining Company is formed for the purpose of working that well-known valuable freehold property situated within the proclaimed Gulgong Goldfield, and known as Rouse's Paddock. It contains 1280 acres, and is situated about two miles due west of the celebrated Red Hill, Gulgong; is bounded on the west by the Cudgegong or Mudgee River; on the north by Reedy Creek (partly); on the east by the Gulgong gold-field; and on the south by Mr. Rouse's property, now being worked by miners who pay the owner a handsome royalty, besides a premium for surface drainage.

The property has been leased from Mr. Rouse for a term of fifteen years (renewable), for a valuable consideration, by gentlemen thoroughly acquainted with its auriferous character, and the promoters have agreed with them to dispose of it to the Company for £6680, to be paid out of the subscribing capital. All preliminary expenses, of every kind whatever, will be defrayed out of the sum aforesaid.

The peculiarly favourable geological features of the estate are clearly set forth in Mr. Stutchbury's able report of 1852. It is surrounded by auriferous quartz ridges, and rich deep leads, traced and now being worked. Several of the most prominent, viz., Moonlight, Caledonian, Adams', and Durham Leads, together with several shallow runs of payable gold, are trending in a north-westerly direction towards, and beyond all doubt enters and passes through the property—thus stamping the venture as one of the most legitimate and valuable mining investments ever offered to the public of New South Wales.

The right to occupy a claim on this property, measuring 480 feet by 160 feet, was granted by Mr. Rouse some time ago to a party of six miners on the eastern boundary. A shaft being sunk is over 100 feet in depth through the basaltic rock. The estimated depth before the bottom is reached is 160 feet. This claim is reserved out of the lease as is also the royalty of 5 per cent. on the gross amount of gold or other minerals obtained out of the property to be resid to Mr. Richard Rouse.

The proprietors have purchased a complete set of boring rods, and have for some time been engaged tracing the outer edge of the basaltic formation for the purpose of defining the deep ground.

It is deemed unnecessary to enter into any elaborate details respecting this valuable property, as the Guntawang Estate is as familiar to miners as the Black or Happy Valley leads. The various sources from which the auriferous deposits contained in this ground have sprung are shown upon a plan prepared from actual survey by the Government District Mining Surveyor, to which the public are referred, as also to the subjoined reports of competent mining authorities.

The entire property will be handed over to the Company free of all further cost, and as soon as the shares are applied for, a meeting of shareholders will be held for the execution of the deed of settlement, the appointment of directors and other officers.

Early applications for shares from persons residing at a distance will be necessary, as already the local demand is great. Application to be made to the brokers—E. N. EMMETT, Greville's Rooms, George-street, Sydney; or PLUNKETT and CO., from whom prospectuses and every information may be obtained.

"To the Promoters of the Guntawang Freehold Gold Mining Company.

"Gentlemen,—I have the honour to state that I have made a survey of the 1200-acre portion leased by you, a plan of which I forward.

"This land, the property of Richard Rouse, Esq., of Guntawang, consists of 1200 acres of gently undulating open box country, situate in the county of Phillip, parish of Guntawang, about two miles in a westerly direction from the town of Gulgong, having a frontage on part of the south and part of west boundary to the Cudgegong River of 2¼ miles, and also a frontage of a quarter of a mile to Wialdra or Reedy Creek, and bounded thence on the north by a line east 2¼ miles, on the east by a line south 1 mile fronting the Caledonian, Moonlight, and other leads, and on the remainder of the south by a line west 1 mile to the Cudgegong River.

"Shown on the plan in blue are three distinct belts of basaltic rock running through the lease, and as nearly all the leads on the Gulgong Gold-field follow this formation, there can be no doubt that deep ground exists wherever such formation occurs; and from the position of the various leads—viz., Caledonian, Moonlight, Adam's Lead, &c.—and the direction in which they are trending, there can be no other outlet for them but through this property.

"I have shown also on plan the position of the shaft at present sinking by a party of miners, who are down 100 feet through the basalt, also the place where your party of men are boring for the purpose of testing the ground.

"I am confident that this is a legitimate mining speculation.

"I have the honour to be, Gentlemen,
"Your obedient servant,
"W. N. DAVIDSON,
"Mining Surveyor."

"To the Proprietary of the Guntawang Freehold Gold-mining Company.

"Gentlemen,—I have the honour to inform you that I have visited and closely examined your Guntawang Estate, and herewith append my remarks thereon.

"This valuable property, consisting of 1200 acres, is situated about two miles west of Gulgong township, and well-known as Mr. Richard Rouse's Guntawang Paddock, and is of a gently undulating character, from its eastern boundary to the banks of the Cudgegong, or Mudgee River, on the western, through all of which vast area the geological features are of the most favourable character, independent of the fact that the Caledonian, Moonlight, and other leads must by gravitation traverse your estate; and surrounded as it is by highly auriferous elevations, and rich runs of gold having been traced from the surface deposits of the celebrated Red Hill, on its western slope, and all tending towards the Guntawang Paddock, must inevitably junction there, and so form the nucleus of a main trunk lead, as has already occurred on Ballarat (Victoria), and under indications exactly similar to those which your estate possesses in an eminent degree.

"From conversations which I have held with miners now holding interests in the Caledonian Lead (which is now traced to your eastern boundary), I learn that various and continuous offers have been made of the most favourable nature to Mr. Rouse for the right to enter this property and mine thereon—a fact which strongly indicates the high opinions entertained by the individual practical miner as to its intrinsic mineral value.

"I perceive that a considerable sum has been already expended by the use of boring appliances towards tracing the basaltic formation, and with success for a considerable distance, and so consequently afford you an excellent guidance for future operations as to shaft-sinking, as the free level or adit system will not require to be introduced.

"Three separate and distinct belts of rock traverse your lease, and from the fact of the gold deposits of the Caledonian and Black Leads being found immediately under the basaltic formation, with such guidance I do not anticipate any serious difficulty or delay in the tracing the LOCALE of the deep ground.

"As shown on plan, a prospecting claim has been granted by Mr. R. Rouse (by special request) to a party of miners to the extent of 480 by 160 feet, anterior to your procuring the lease you now possess from that gentleman. The shaft they are now engaged in sinking has attained a depth of 100 feet through one of the basaltic formations above alluded to, and, being on the supposed course of the Caledonian Lead, are sanguine as to results.

"Possessing, as you will at all seasons, an unlimited supply of water from the Cudgegong River and Reedy Creek for machine and other purposes, your works will never be retarded through want of that indispensable element.

"The conveyance of auriferous material would be by tram, and at a nominal cost, as no engineering impediments occur.

"There is a sufficient supply of timber for all required purposes within the boundary of your estate.

"After a careful examination of the Guntawang Paddock, its superficial indications, and the various leads trending towards it, and having had an extensive practical connection with gold mining in all its branches throughout the various colonies extending over a considerable period, I am sanguine that at no distant date your property will occupy a leading position in this district as to its gold-producing qualities, and regard it as an excellent mining venture.

"I have the honour to remain, Gentlemen,
"Your most obedient servant,
"J. F. CONWAY."

To the Provisional Directors of the Guntawang Freehold Gold Mining Co.

"Gentlemen,—At your request I have the honour to inform you that I have inspected your property, and beg to submit for your consideration my opinion on its auriferous nature and value. After a minute examination and survey of the ground, and the different leads surrounding it, I consider you possess one of the most valuable mining properties in this district, and from the general features and indications on and surrounding it I consider that many other rich alluvial leads besides those already trending toward it, and through which they must pass, will be discovered in your property. And from the discoveries already made by you in boring and prospecting, and the fact of a shaft being sunk on your eastern boundary one hundred feet, and not yet through the basalt, proves beyond doubt that there is a thick deposit of basaltic rock overlaying a portion of your property, and which in this district is a sure index of there being rich alluvial deposits underneath. In fact, from the property to the town of Gulgong, about two miles, it seems to be one vast field of alluvial auriferous country, through which numerous rich leads and deposits are proved to run, most of which are trending towards your property, and must, in my opinion, run through it. There is a plentiful supply of timber for every description of mining purposes in every part; good sites for shafts and machinery; and splendid watersheds for collecting and storing an ample supply of water. In fact, there is every facility for carrying on mining operations on an extensive and systematic principle at a very small cost, and I believe that under skilful and efficient management a very small outlay would prove the property to be highly remunerative to the shareholders.

"JAMES EDDY,
"Mining Manager and Inspector."

PROSPECTUS of the CITY OF SYDNEY QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED). To be Registered.

Capital, £21,000, in 21,000 Shares of £1 each,

6000 shares are reserved by the promoters, and £5000 cash, out of which will be defrayed the preliminary expenses of brokerage, commission, and labour up to the time of the formation of the Company, the remaining 15,000 shares, paid up to 5s, are offered to the public—5s to be paid on application, 5s on allotment, and the balance in calls not to exceed 1s per per share month.

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS:
John Struth, Esq.; John Sutherland, Esq., M.P.;
Paul Talbot, Esq.; J. S. Murray, Esq.;
Lawrence Kendall, Esq.
BANKERS:
London Chartered Bank.
SOLICITORS:
Rolin and Salter.
BROKERS:
Butler and Rule, 410, George-street.
Arthur LL. Easton, Greville's Rooms.

This Company is formed for the purpose of working a lease of five acres on the Tuena Creek, Tuena, being the now well-known claim of Messrs. Rule and Barnett, the rich auriferous character of which has caused so many other leases to be taken up in the district. One of the reefs in this claim has yielded at the rate of 71 oz. to the ton, of standard gold as per Mint certificate herewith subjoined; the gold being valued at £4 2s 9d an oz. This reef is about two feet thick, well defined between walls of schist formation, one wall being full of gold bearing veins to the extent of two feet, so that four feet of stone will be available for crushing. The remarkable facility the hill in which this reef appears affords for tunnelling and removing large bodies of stone at small cost, will keep a mill of ten head of stamps continually going, and the rich mass of the stone to be crushed will, it is estimated, return the shareholders the capital called up at the first crushing, for it is not calculated that more than 12s per Share will be required to render the mine dividend paying.

The hill stands in a bend of the Tuena Creek, rising to a height of 200 feet and carrying the auriferous reefs with it, the one in question being visible almost from the creek to the crown, traversing it in such a direction that a low tunnel inserted in the hill can follow the stone in and discharge it at the mill, for which a capital site is found 150 yards further down the creek, with permanent water at hand. The alluvial ground worked round the base of this hill has been immensely rich, especially in reef specimens, evidently coming from reefs close at hand, for the alluvial miners of seventeen or eighteen years ago state that they hammered out lumps of quartz gold in ground that went as high as 1 lb. weight to the tub from a large reef running under the gold drift.

It is estimated that a ten-head battery will crush, on an average, ninety tons of stone a week, and that this reef alone, when fully opened up, will keep it going. Care will be taken that the necessary appliances for saving fine gold and separating the metal from pyrites are attached to the mill.

The value of this property is so generally acknowledged that very little comment is required, and the testimony of several gentlemen who have visited the ground only confirms the general opinion that the investment is one of the soundest and safest mining speculations in the country.

No more gold will be taken from the claim until the Company is floated and becomes the property of the new shareholders. Samples of the stone can be seen at the Brokers' office, 410, George-street, or at Mr. A. Ll. EASTON'S, Greville's Rooms.

Shareholders will be entitled to an equal division of profits, irrespective of the amount per share called up, provided there be no arrear of calls.

"Royal Mint, Sydney.
"1st February, 1872.

"Gentlemen,—The quartz weighing 5 cwt. 3 qrs. 12 lbs., sent by you to be crushed and otherwise treated yielded 20·78 standard gold; being at the rate of seventy ounces and ninety-six hundredths (70·96) of an ounce of standard gold to the ton.

"The gold is enclosed.

"I am, Gentlemen, your obedient servant,
"C. ELOUIS."

"Messrs. Rule and Barnett,
"Hyde Park Hotel,
"Castlereagh-street."

CITY OF SYDNEY QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (Limited).

CAPITAL, £21,000, in 21,000 shares of £1 each.

Gentlemen,—I hereby request you will allot me shares in the above Company; which number or any less that may be allotted to me I agree to accept, and to sign the Deed of Association when called upon to do so. I herewith hand you the sum of £ being a deposit of 5s per share, and agree to pay a further sum of 5s per share on allotment, and the balance when called for in terms of the prospectus.

Dated this day of 1872.
Name .....
Address .....
Occupation .....
To Messrs. BUTLER and RULE,
Brokers,
410, George-street, Sydney; or to
ARTHUR LL. EASTON,
Greville's Rooms, Sydney.

THE GLENCOE GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited). HAWKINS HILL.

Capital: £12,000 in shares of £1 each, of which 6000 are reserved for the proprietors and the remainder are now offered to the public.

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS AND TRUSTEES:
George King, Esq.,
John Brewster, Esq., S. A. Joseph, Esq.
PROVISIONAL MANAGER:
S. L. Bensusan, Esq.
BANKERS:
London Chartered Bank of Australia.
SOLICITORS:
Messrs. Stephen and Stephen, Pitt-street.

Prospectuses and forms of Application for Shares may be obtained on application to the Provisional Manager 14, Spring-street; or,
CHATFIELD and MACKENZIE,
Pitt-street.

GOLDEN NOTE GOLD MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

Copy of a Letter handed to Mr. E. N. Emmett for information.

"Wellington, 4th April, 1872.

"Dear Sir,—Your telegram to hand about the 'Golden Note Reef.' It is about two or three miles direct south from that old reef of Matthew's, where you and I went one day, and where the Mitchell's Creek Company's works are now situate. It is the opinion here that it is a continuation of the Mitchell's Creek Reef, but the 'blow' is of such extraordinary richness that I can hardly think it is the same reef, unless as has been explained to me that it is the same reef entering the ironstone formation, which certainly commences here; and you will notice in the specimens that Emmett has, as is observable in all the stone here, that the ironstone portions of the quartz carry the gold.

"The reef has not been opened out at all, but from the blow along the line it should be a large one, and if large and as rich as the stone already taken out, it will equal anything in the Western districts.

"I can't describe to you exactly where it is, but it is by Aaron's Paddock, about six miles from here, as you go out on the Mudgee Road. The Rev. Mr. Clarke was there last week and has a very high opinion of the auriferous nature of the country; and on Monday last a Mr. Mayes was there on behalf of Mr. Emmett, and was enthusiastic about it. He washed gold out anywhere about the surface. The Mitchell's Creek Reef is looking splendidly. If you were a speculator I should say go into these shares at present price, 4½, they are bound to be high. It will before long prove itself as one of the best and steadiest dividend-paying companies in the country.

"Yours truly,
(Signed) "CHRISTOPHER MOOR."

ERIN-GO-BRAGH GOLD MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

At the request of several intending shareholders who could not be present on Saturday, the Share List will be kept open for a few days longer. The adjoining claim has struck rich stone, which on a trial crushing yielded over three ounces to the ton. Specimens can be seen at the office, 99, Elizabeth-street, where forms of application for the few remaining shares can be obtained.

EDWARD J. RUBIE, Manager pro tem.

ST. HELENA GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited).

SOUTH HAWKINS HILL, between OAKEY CREEK and TURON RIVER, next Williamson's SOVEREIGN and Lowry's Lease.

NOMINAL CAPITAL—1000 Shares of £5 each.

Specimens of the quartz taken from surface and at 8 feet depth on view.

Prospectuses and forms of application for shares can be obtained from

J. PURKIS, 267, George-street.

UNICORN GOLD MINING COMPANY, HAWKINS HILL (LIMITED.)

This Company's ground, 300 feet by 300 feet, is bounded by the following celebrated claims:—

Crichton and Beard, on the north
Hickson and Beard
Cock, Attwood, and Co. } on the east.
James Brown, and
Porter Rawsthorn
West Krohman } on the south
Leonard's Lease
Pullen's Lease, on the west.

A tunnel has been driven 160 feet, and a good tramway laid down the whole length. Three gold-bearing veins have been cut in the tunnel, and at least four others remain to be cut. Men are now sinking on Eisenstadter's vein nearly three feet wide, and bearing gold all through it. All shares participate equally in dividends. The bulk of the shares are applied for, and the list must be closed on the 9th instant. Applications accompanied by deposit of 5s per share, will be received by Mr. E. VICKERY, Pitt-street; or Mr. JAMES VICKERY, Barrack-street.

*** See Wednesday's HERALD Mining News, for crushing of stone from Eisenstadter's large vein.

PROSPECTUS OF THE SOUTH STAR No. 3, GOLD MINING COMPANY (LIMITED). SOUTH STAR LINE OF REEF, HILL END.

Capital, £7500, in 7500 shares, of £1 each.

3500 reserved by the proprietors, and £300 cash from first subscribed capital. 4000 shares offered to the public, 1s on application, 1s on allotment, and the balance (if required) in calls not exceeding 1s per month.

☞ ALL OF THE STONE THAT HAS BEEN RAISED (SOME FIFTY TONS, AND WHICH MR. W. HOLMAN EXPECTS WILL CRUSH FROM 3 TO 4 OUNCES TO THE TON) WILL BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE COMPANY.

The position of the SOUTH STAR line of Reef, Hill End, is generally known, and the continued favourable reports therefrom, and its surroundings, will at once direct attention to the importance of this claim, now offered to the public, viz., "SOUTH STAR, No. 3." Area 2 acres.

Most unusual advantages are offered to the Shareholders: Uniform low deposits, and a full participation in the large quantity of rich stone that has been raised, and which now awaits crushing.

The shaft has been already sunk eighty (80) feet, and rich stone has been found throughout the sinking.

The Promoters have much pleasure in adducing the following valuable testimony received from William Holman, Esq., whose experience in gold-mining is unsurpassed, and who is well known to be most careful in the expression of his opinions:—

"Sydney, March 21, 1872.

"Gentlemen,—Respecting the 'South Star, No. 3 Lease,' which you are about forming into a Company, and of which I am one of the proprietors, all I can say is, that it is a very rich claim, that the shaft is down about eighty (80) feet, and we have obtained good gold all the way down, increasing in value the deeper we go.

"The only reason the proprietors have in forming it into a Company is that it may be more efficiently worked.

"I shall be a subscribing shareholder.

"I am, Gentlemen, yours truly,
"WILLIAM HOLMAN.

"To the Promoters,
"'South Star No. 3, Gold-Mining Company.'"

As soon as 100 tons of stone have been raised, there will be a crushing, which is expected to place the Company in the position of a "dividend-paying" one, and dividends will be paid equally on all shares, without reference to amount paid up.

Immediately the shares now offered have been subscribed for, a meeting will be called to appoint directors, auditors, &c., &c.

Applications for shares, accompanied with amount of deposit fee, to be forwarded to

H. W. FOSTER and CO., Mining Agents,
Greville's-chambers, Sydney.

GOLDEN TREASURE GOLD QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (Limited), TUENA.

To be registered under the Limited Liability Act, 24 Vic., cap 21.

CAPITAL £8000, in 16,000 shares of 10s each.

8000 fully paid-up shares reserved by the present proprietors, and 8000 now offered to the public. Terms: 1s on application, 1s on allotment, balance in monthly calls not exceeding 6d per share, and only when required.

Provisional Directors:
Captain Linklater, Esq.
George Crispo, Esq.
Bankers:
Joint Stock Bank.

SPECIAL FEATURES OF THIS COMPANY.

SHAREHOLDERS WILL NOT BE LIABLE FOR MORE THAN THE AMOUNT OF THEIR RESPECTIVE SHARES.

DIVIDENDS PAID EQUALLY ON ALL SHARES IRRESPECTIVE OF AMOUNTS PAID-UP.

THE PRESENT PROPRIETORS PLEDGE THEMSELVES NOT TO PART WITH ANY OF THEIR SHARES UNTIL THE COMPANY BE DECLARED A DIVIDEND-PAYING COMPANY.

DEPOSITS RETURNED IN FULL IF COMPANY SHOULD NOT BE FORMED.

NO UNNECESSARY AMOUNT OF CAPITAL IS NOW OR EVER WILL BE CALLED FOR.

THE PROPRIETORS RECEIVE NO CASH BONUS.

AS SOON AS 4000 SHARES HAVE BEEN SUBSCRIBED FOR, THE SHAREHOLDERS WILL BE CALLED TO APPOINT THEIR OFFICERS, AND INCREASED OPERATIONS ON THE LEASE PROCEEDED WITH.

The "Golden Treasure" is a ten-acre lease, occupying an important position on the celebrated Tuena main line of reef. A reference to the plan shows that it is only three removes from Messrs. Rule and Barnett's auriferous golden claim which is now (under the style of the "City of Sydney" Quartz Mining Company) before the public, with a capital of £21,000.

It is also only two removes from the "Tuena Central" and one from the "Abercrombie Company's leases," in both of which very rich gold has been struck, that from the Abercrombie giving an average of twenty-one ounces to the ton.

The superior quality of the "Tuena" gold is testified by the Mint return last week, which gave the assay of that crushed from Messrs. Rule and Barnett's claim as being of the value of £4 2s 9d per oz.

The rich reef from which this was extracted is reasonably believed by most competent judges to extend along the whole line of reef, and this will add one other to those already known to exist in the "Golden Treasure."

The "Golden Treasure" contrasts most favourably with the other leases on the same line of reef, as it has an area of double the extent of "Rule and Barnett's," the "Tuena Central," the "Abercrombie," &c., &c., and it shows visible reefs from its surface, to which the Company's first operations will be directed. It has also the advantage of an additional valuable reef which runs direct into the "Golden Treasure" from private land.

Reference must be again permitted to the special features in connection with this Company as enumerated above; whilst the provisional directors are so fully assured of the value of the "Golden Treasure" lease that they have guaranteed an amount of money, and the opening out of the visible reefs is now being proceeded with. It is most probable that not more than one half of the capital will be required to be subscribed.

Further information may be had on application to the Company's brokers.

H. W. POSTER and CO.,
Mining Agents,
Greville's-chambers,
George-street.

NOTICE.

OBAN TIN MINING COMPANY,
Bagot and Clarke's Leases.

The following telegram has been received this day from Messrs. Bagot and Clarke:—

"Advertise that unwarranted use made of our names by Great Northern. Only forty acres; an isolated block of our land is included in theirs."

Sydney, 6th April.

OBAN TIN MINING COMPANY, Bagot and Clarke's Leases.

The SHARE LIST of the Oban Tin Mining Company will CLOSE on TUESDAY, the 9th April.

CHATFIELD and MACKENZIE,
69, Pitt-street.

MATHIESON'S CLAIM, HAWKINS HILL.—The shares in one-fifth (1-5th) of this claim are filling. Early application by intending investors necessary. The list closes on 13th instant.

J. H. L. SCOTT, Manager pro tem.
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JAMES LAIDLEY, Secretary.

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Capital .. £8000 in 8000 Shares of £1 each.

2s. 6d. on deposit, 3s. 6d. on allotment; 1s. every 3 months (if required).

The attention of the public is called to the prospectus of this Company as being one of the most liberal and genuine offers yet laid before them.

A considerable number of shares have been taken up privately, and there being every prospect of the list being closed next week, renders an early application necessary.

BENJAMIN BRAUN, 1, Wynyard-street,
Secretary pro tem.

BANG BANG GOLD-MINING CO., HILL END, (Limited).

TO THE SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Shareholders in the above Company that the Deed of Association lies ready for signature, and scrip prepared for issue, at the office of the Company, Greville's Commercial Room, George-street, Sydney.

Country Shareholders who may be unable to attend at the office to sign the deed, are requested to appoint by power of attorney agents in Sydney. Printed forms for this purpose can be obtained upon application from

E. N. EMMETT, Manager.
Greville's Rooms, George-street, Sydney, April 8, 1872.

LORD AND LADY BELMORE GOLD MINING COMPANY, HILL END (Limited).

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E. N. EMMETT, Manager,
Greville's Rooms,
George-street, Sydney, 8th April, 1872.

GOLDEN NOTE GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited).

ENGINEER'S REPORT UPON THE GOLDEN NOTE GOLD MINING COMPANY'S GROUND, NEAR WELLINGTON.

E. N. EMMETT, Esq.

SIR,—In accordance with your written instructions, I proceeded to the 22-acre Lease of the above Company, which I found to be about five miles north east of the township of Wellington, and about two and a half miles south of the Mitchell's Creek Gold Mining Company's works on Mitchell's Creek, in the county of Lincoln. I was particularly pleased with the marked geological features so seldom met with in such favourable combination. I allude to the disruption by igneous action of the paleozoic or auriferous rocks contiguous to the lower reef, which dips to the west, and appears to be identical with the reef on the Mitchell's Creek Gold Mining Company's ground, now being opened (600 yards west of their main and original reef), which has a similar westerly dip. The shaft now sunk near the Waterloo reef, to a depth of about 12 feet, will, if continued downwards, probably intercept the lower reef at a depth of about 40 feet, passing down alongside the stratified and indurated, or metamorphic aretaceous rocks, which are nearly vertical, but have a bearing of about 22 degrees running N.N.E. and S.S.W., which is the bearing or head of the original reef on the Mitchell's Creek Company's ground.

About 10 tons of very rich quartz have been obtained from the Waterloo Reef, which passes through the Golden Note Gold Mining Company's ground, but probably at least 100 tons might be readily obtained from the surface overflow, or outcrop, within a depth of four feet, which could be crushed with the casings at the Mitchell Creek Company's works, thus yielding a quick return with a small outlay, since this crushing will probably yield at least 400 oz. of coarse nuggetty and matrix gold, judging from present appearances.

Should it be determined to wash the alluvial soil and casings on the ground, unusual facilities present themselves for the formation of a reservoir by the construction of an earthen puddled dam for the requisite water supply.

As the reef reappears at the south end of the ground, and again to the west and south, until it intersects or lines with the western reef or blow last opened on Mitchell's Creek, and bearing with that reef 11 degrees W. of N., it leaves little doubt, from well-established geological facts, that the whole of the 22 acres comprising the Golden Note Company's ground is far above the general average.

The product of one dishful of casings and washing stuff next the outflow or blow sent down with the specimens from Wellington on the 1st current, tends to prove that the one ounce of similar gold obtained from one ton of alluvial soil or washing stuff is rather below than above the average yield that may reasonably be expected.

Trusting you are in receipt of the rich specimens, &c., above referred to,

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
CHARLES MAYES.

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INVESTED FUNDS..... £4,284,000.
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W. H. DELOITTE, Secretary.

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INSOLVENCY.

MEETINGS OF CREDITORS.

Monday, April 8, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: William Gritton, adjourned examination from the 11th ultimo; William Gritton, adjourned single meeting from the 11th ultimo; James Brown, special, for examination; Charles Gross, special, for examination; William George Williams, special, for examination. Andrew Fisher, adjourned examination from the 2nd instant. Charles Gross, adjourned single from the 3rd instant.

Monday, April 8, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: Peter Lillis, first and only meeting, at Forbes; Peter Anderson, first and only meeting, at Mudgee.

Tuesday, April 9, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Newman Cash, special, for examination of witnesses.

Tuesday, April 9, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: Patrick M'Namara, third meeting, at Yass; James Sherwood Scott, first and only meeting, at Wollongong; Peter Skerrett, first and only meeting, at Wollongong; George Candy, first and only meeting, at Wollongong.

Wednesday, April 10, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Carlo Torretti, third meeting; George Richard Rigby, first and only meeting; Richard Casey, first and only meeting; Patrick Cahill, third meeting; Robert Jackson Hardy, third meeting; John Steel, second meeting; John Matthews, first meeting; Richard Rogers, adjourned single from the 27th ultimo.

Thursday, April 11, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Charles Holman Warren, adjourned third from the 5th instant; Michael William Kelly, adjourned third from the 5th instant.

Thursday, April 11, at 12 noon.—Before the District Commissioner. Alexander M'Innes, first and only meeting, at Shoalhaven.

Friday, April 12, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Hector Campbell, first and only meeting; Charles John Warner, first and only meeting; Thomas Garrett, first and only meeting; George Kilminster, first and only meeting: Thomas Robinson, first and only meeting; David Boulé, first meeting; Maximilian Luna, special for proof of debt; Edward Reynolds, adjourned single from the 5th instant; Aaron Steenbhom, adjourned single from the 5th instant.

Friday, April 12, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: Edward Golsby, first and only meeting, at Bathurst; Charles Cobb Walker, first and only meeting, at Newcastle; William Fur, first and only meeting, at Scone.

Monday, April 15, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: In re John Fox, official assignee to file account and plan of distribution, adjourned from the 14th ultimo; re Edward Glasbon, official assignee to file account and plan of distribution, adjourned from the 14th ultimo; Eugene Lamomerie Di Fattorini, special meeting for examination.

Monday, April 15, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: John Frederick Worner, first and only meeting, at Young; Arthur Britton, third meeting, at Wentworth; George Elphinston Job, first and only meeting, at Forbes.

Tuesday, April 16, at 11 a.m.—Before the District Commissioner: Robert James Somerville, first and only meeting, at East Maitland; John Harrigan, first and only meeting, at East Maitland; Thomas Hepplewhite, first and only meeting, at Newcastle; Patrick O'Hearn, first and only meeting, at East Maitland;

APPLICATIONS FOR CERTIFICATES.

Tuesday, April 9, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: John Paul Hambly, William Alfred Hollingshed, Ellen Bridgeman, James Francis Plunkett, adjourned from the 12th ultimo; Elias Moses, adjourned from the 12th ultimo; Joseph Golsby, adjourned from the 26th ultimo; Henry Dobbyn, adjourned from the 2nd instant; Newman Cash, adjourned from the 2nd instant.

Tuesday, April 16, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Charles Esther, adjourned certificate from the 29th February last; James Riley, Joseph Matthews, Daniel Buckley, adjourned certificate from the 26th ultimo.

COURT BUSINESS.

Wednesday, April 11, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Compulsory sequestration—rule nisi returnable, the Colonial Sugar Company v. George Cruickshank Aitken; re Donald Gunn, for ratification or otherwise of directions of creditors; official assignee to be heard as to estates six months or more in arrear, under Rule 9 in insolvency; re Richard Randolph Machattie, summons to show cause why the insolvent should not be imprisoned under the 100 Section of Act 5 Vic. No. 17, until satisfaction of his debts or lawful discharge therefrom; Edward Duggan, Maurice Ickerson, for ratification or otherwise of directions of creditors.

CENTRAL POLICE COURT.

SATURDAY.

BEFORE the Police Magistrate and Mr. Cunninghame.

Eleven persons convicted of drunkenness were fined in the usual amounts. Catherine Gorman pleaded guilty to drunkenness, and was fined therefor, but pleaded not guilty to a further charge of having at the same time made use of obscene language, of which however she was convicted on the constable's evidence, and was sentenced to pay a penalty of 20s., or to be imprisoned seven days in addition. Harriet Pinketh was fined 10s., or to be imprisoned seven days in addition to a like sentence for being drunk and disorderly.

Three persons were brought into custody, and remanded on bail until Monday.

THE ROSTER.—Monday, April 8: Messrs. Murphy, Spence, Powell, Vickery, and Merriman. Tuesday, 9: Messrs. Smart, Macintosh, Evans, and Kippax. Wednesday, 10: Messrs. Renwick, Day, Love, Hughes, and Curran. Thursday, 11: Messrs. Birrell, Smithers, Thompson, and Penfold. Friday, 12: Messrs. Oatley, T. H. Neale, S. Goold, and R. Campbell. Saturday, 13: Messrs. St. Julian and Cunninghame.

WATER POLICE COURT.

SATURDAY.

BEFORE Messrs. C. Lester and Charlton.

Ten persons found drunk in the streets were fined—some 5s., and some 10s., with the alternative

AUSTRALIAN JOCKEY CLUB.—AUTUMN MEETING.

PATRON: The Right Honorable the Earl of Belmore: President: The Hon. E. Deas Thomson, C.B., &c. Vice-President: Mr. Alfred Cheeks. Judge: Mr. John Lackey. Stewards: Mr. Richard Jones, Mr. Alick Osborne, Hon. W. M. Arnold, Hon. George H. Cox, Mr. W. J. Dangar. Starter: Mr. W. G. Henfrey. Secretary and Treasurer: Mr. Buchan Thomson. Clerk of the Course: Mr. H. D. Martyn. Handicapper: Mr. J. A. Scarr.

THE PLATE DAY.

The last day of the Autumn Races proved most successful in every respect, and brought the Australian Jockey Club meeting off with the greatest *éclat*. Saturday being a half-holiday, all the sporting folks in Sydney were bound to Randwick, and the attendance on the course was not far short of that of Easter Monday. The drive out was most exciting, and the 'bus drivers, many of whom manipulated the "four-in-hand," vied with each other in getting a full complement of passengers, and landing them first at the racecourse gate. The rivalry amongst the public 'buses was indeed so great that in many instances the passengers were in danger of being landed halfway between Randwick and Sydney. One driver of a railway 'bus, who guided four spanking "darkies," appeared rather reckless in his anxiety to pass several vehicles that were plodding slowly, but surely, in towards the course. He made a dash about half-way, but got into difficulties on the off side, and was compelled to draw off. Nothing daunted, however, he whipped his horses up, and threatened to pass the 'bus in front, when the trace of the leader on the near side gave way, and an abrupt pull up was the result. Despite the "fast" driving of many of the drivers, no accident occurred. There was a good deal of dust, but the passengers overlooked this disadvantage in their gratitude for a safe arrival. There were between 7000 and 8000 people on the course, who made the most of the last day of the meeting. The roulette tables, spinning the ring, Aunt Sally, and many other amusements were patronised by a large number of persons, and the proprietors must have reaped a rich harvest. The outside betting stalls were also well patronised. The Grand Stand, Leger, and Derby Stands were well filled, and it was quite refreshing to witness the hundreds who were packed there during each race. The bookmakers were very busy in the saddling paddock, and a good deal of business was done, the betting being very lively. Many extraordinary wagers might be chronicled, but as these appeared to be a good deal of exaggeration about most of them, they may as well not be mentioned. It was, however, reported, on very good authority, that a certain New Zealand potentate won a "lot of money" in a "double" on the Rous and Randwick Handicaps, by which his finances exhibited a surplus. There was a good deal of responsibility thrown upon Mr. O'Brien in the catering department; but it is almost superfluous to say that he attended to his customers with the greatest alacrity and cheerfulness. Shortly before the running for the Nursery Handicap an accident happened in the saddling paddocks, which, though unattended with serious consequences, caused a stir amongst those who were present. One of the horses attached to the Hon. E. Deas Thomson's luggy slipped while coming round to the gate, and came to grass, getting one leg over the trace. Being a high-blooded animal, he made several furious attempts to kick over the traces, and the Hon. E. Deas Thomson, who gallantly kept his seat, was in danger of being thrown out. There were, however, many willing hands ready to render assistance, and after some difficulty the fractious horse was released, and matters set straight. A good deal of interest was centered in the Rous Handicap, which was won by Priam, but the event of the day was, of course, the race for the Queen's Plate. Hamlet, the Melbourne champion, Tim, and Prophet, were roundly cheered upon coming out, but the race was considered by the *connoscenti* as a moral for the Melbourne crack; and so it proved, for Hamlet pulled off the guineas with comparative ease. The Forced Handicap proved a great race and resulted in a dead heat between Prodigal and J. L., the run off showing Prodigal's superior staying power. After this race a rush was made for the omnibuses, and the return journey was completed without material accident, although one or two 'buses were "stuck-up" on the road, to the unbounded delight of those who were not amongst the unfortunate passengers. Before proceeding to give details of the running we may state that the protest against Patriarch in the Nursery Handicap, on the ground that he started in front of the post, was heard and dismissed. The Autumn Meeting closed most successfully, and the Australian Jockey Club may be congratulated upon the result of the change in the dates. The starts in the first three events were good, but that for the Nursery Handicap was very bad indeed; and the Forced Handicap had very little to recommend it. Through a slip of the pen on Friday, Hamlet was set down in our report as being a son of Maribyrnong and Rose de Florence; it should have been Maribyrnong and Rose of Denmark.

First Race.—The Rous Handicap of 5 sovereigns each, h. ft., or 1 sovereign only for non-acceptors, with 100 sovereigns added, for 3 years; weights to be declared at Tattersall's on the third day of the meeting, at or soon after 9 p.m., and non-acceptors within one hour after such declaration to the secretary, same place. 14 subscribers. One mile and three furlongs.

Mr. J. Rose ns. b c Priam, by New Warrior—Poppet, 7 st 8 lbs (Bryant) 1
Tait's b c J. L., by Kingston, 7 st 6 lbs (Enderson) 2
R. H. Bloomfield's b or b c Dagworth, by Yattendon, 7 st 4 lbs (J. Sherringham) 3
J. Osborne's br f Vixen, 7 st (M. Thompson)
T. Ivory's ch f Marchioness, by Kingston, 7 st 2 lbs (W. Sherringham)
R. Rowe's ch g Wanderer, 6 st 9 lbs (W. Reeve)
——— ch f Nydia, 7 st 10 lbs (Brown)
A. F. Lutwyche's b f Flirtation, 6 st, declared 4½ lbs over (A. Davis)
A. Allright's b c Emery, by New Warrior, 6 st 5 lbs (J. Keane)
A. Town's br c Westminster, 7 st 10 lbs (A. Shield)
T. Cox. Lee's b c Commodore, 7 st 2 lbs (J. Sherringham)
H. Oakey's ch c Lord of Lorn, 5 st 7 lbs (Hurley).

Betting: 5 to 2 v. Patriarch; 3 to 1 bar one.

After several attempts the flag was lowered to a wretched start, Patriarch having fully five lengths the best of everything, the next to him being Secret and the Marchioness filly; the others closed on the leader, as they came round the home turn, but he was never once headed, and entered the straight full of running with a closely packed field at his heels. One e fairly between the rails, the Marchioness filly gave way to Secret, Nemo, and the Emery colt. From this point Patriarch had it all his own way, and although Nemo made a struggle all the way up the running, Mr. Lee's colt won cleverly by nearly two lengths, Nemo second, the Secret third, Emery colt fourth, Flirtation fifth, Nydia sixth, Bridesmaid seventh, and the rest beaten off. Time 1 minute 19 8-10 seconds.

Fifth Race.—The Forced Handicap of 5 sovereigns each, 20 added for all winners except those of the St. Leger and 2 years races, for which, and all beaten horses, the entrance was optional, but acceptances obligatory. Entrances for such closed at 3 30 p.m., except for those horses running in the Nursery Handicap, for which they closed ten minutes after the declaration of that race. The winner to pay 5 guineas to the Club. One mile and a quarter.

Mr. T. Lamond's ch g Prodigal, aged, 6 st 10 lbs (Thompson) 1
J. Tait's b c J. L., 3 years, 7 st 2 lbs (Moore) ... 2
A. Saqui's br c Misty Morn, 5 years, 7 st 9 lbs (Rees) ... 3
A. Town's b h Sir William, 5 st 6 lbs (Colley)
A. Thompson's b h The Duke, 6 years, 8 st 2 lbs (Shields)
J. Tait's b h The Quack, 7 st 11 lbs (Enderson)
J. Ross's b g Index, 5 years, 7 st 2 lbs (Hurley)
D. Davies's gr m Adventuress, 4 years, 6 st 10 lbs (J. Sherringham)
A. Campbell's b c Tommy Dodd, 4 years, 6 st 7 lbs (W. Sherringham).

Hamlet, 9st 3 lbs.; Lapdog, 9 st.; Vauban, 6 st. 9lbs.; and the Marchioness Filly, 5 st. 7 lbs., were scratched.

Betting: 5 to 2 v. Adventuress; 3 to 1 bar one.

Many of the jockeys appeared doubtful as to whether they were to go or not, and, when the flag dipped, the start was far from being a good one, Sir William, Quack, J. L., and The Duke having the best of it. Before reaching the back of the course Tommy Dodd ran into second place, and the truck got nearer Sir William. At the commencement of the hill, Adventuress made her effort, as did also JL., and both passed Sir William, who lay third, with The Quack fourth. JL assumed the lead as they came round the bend, and for a moment it looked as though the son of Kingston, the grey mare, and The Quack were going to fight it out, but when half way up the straight Prodigal came with a great rush, and just caught JL on the post, making a dead heat. Misty Morn, who came through his horses well in the run home, third, The Duke fourth, The Quack fifth, Index sixth, and then came Tommy Dodd, Adventuress, and Sir William. Time, 2 minutes 15 4-10 seconds. Prodigal made all the running in the run off, and won easily by two lengths.

THE INTERCOLONIAL CRICKET MATCH—NEW SOUTH WALES V. VICTORIA.

[BY OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

ONCE more have the two colonies of New South Wales and Victoria entered into their annual cricketing contest. The fifteenth anniversary of the grandest match to be witnessed out of England was commenced on Saturday last on the M. C. Ground in Melbourne. To some this may sound slightly bombastic, but it is undoubtedly true, nowhere out of the "old country"—the home of the game—has cricket taken so deep a root as in the sister colonies of New South Wales and Victoria. Regularly, year after year, as October comes round do our youths don the flannels, and handle the willow and the leather with a zest as eager as that of the most ardent lover of "Lords," or the "Oval" at home. To us October brings the same charms as does "the merry month of May" to the cricketers of England, and all through our six summer months, *malgré* hot winds and baked up turfs, do we play away at our grand old game till the days become shortened, and squally April weather drives us from the field. Fourteen games have been played between the two colonies, each game showing better cricket than the last. The first took place in 1856 at Melbourne, and the aggregate number of runs made in all four innings, then, amounted to 188, or 17 short of the number achieved by our own representatives alone in their first innings, played last March, on the Albert Ground. Since Captain Gilbert led his "merry men" to victory in that initiatory match, just sixteen years ago, Fortune has treated our champions but scurvily in giving them the advantage in four games only out of fourteen played. Victory appears, of late years, to have attached herself entirely to the fortunes of her namesake's representatives. On the river, the racecourse, and at the rifle butts we can more than hold our own; but on the cricket-field Fortune seems to have deserted us. But for all that, we have never despaired; and, although there be some amongst us, calling themselves cricketers, who deprecate the continuance of these friendly meetings, yet, in the true spirit of the noble game itself, we are certain New South Wales, although defeated, will never be disgraced by retiring from any contest for the sole reason that she is afraid of being beaten. Since the termination of the last intercolonial match, several of our cricketers (?) have been known to express themselves as against the continuance of this time-honoured game; and one even went so far as to endeavour to record his opinion on the pages of the committee's minute-book. We have the highest authority for knowing that "in the multitude of councillors there is wisdom;" but it appears to us that were these birds of evil omen, the Jonahs of our crew weeded out, and the committee confined to a few who are stout of heart, more work would be done, and done better.

There was perhaps more than the usual amount of difficulty experienced in choosing our team this year, and quite the usual diversity of opinion. Some for instance would not have "Nat" or Sheridan in at any price, the former had "had his day," and so forth (his innings of 31 on Saturday was by far the best of the day). Then there was the uncertainty about the two University bowlers, Coates and Faithfull, and what was the team to do for bowling. Neither took part in the match; the former could not leave his charge on the Parramatta River, and the latter would not go for reasons known only to himself, so "the old man from the country" was requested to go and tempt rash and unwary Victorian batsmen with his insinuators. Would Docker come off on the Melbourne ground, and rival Allen with his high delivery? At last our lot was chosen, and then followed the practice match with Faithfull's team, in which small scoring was the order of the day, and on Tuesday the 19th March the following went on board the "City of Adelaide," bound to do battle for us in Melbourne:—E. Gregory, D. Gregory, C. Gregory, C. Bannerman, N. Thompson, E. Sheridan, A. Docker, W. C. Hand, D. Dickson, H. A. Allen, George Moore, J. Oatley. Umpire: Sellars. Scorer: P. Waddy. Oatley's name appears in the place of Kellick's, who was debarred from going by reason of an injury to his hand. The eleventh man was not decided on when the steamer left, but E. Gregory, Dickson, and Thompson chose Allen the night before the match, and Oatley eventually had to field as a substitute for C. Gregory, who broke one of the fingers of the left hand while fielding at square leg.

It was not a very cheerful departure, with squally weather outside, the rain coming down as if it meant it, and a crowd of two or three hundred people left behind on the wharf, all ready to lay 5 to 1 against them, was not altogether very pleasant for the team, despite their cheering; and their reflections as they steamed down the harbour, watching the receding and quickly deserted wharf, could hardly have been of a lively nature. Once outside, however, they had but little time for reflections of the kind, a heavy squall was waiting for them, and nearly all found the privacy of their cabins very desirable. In less than an hour the picked team of New South Wales cricketers looked very "crooked," for Neptune would have his dues. The "colt" was as bad as any of them, perhaps a little worse; he stated that it was the first time he had been outside the Heads and declared it should be the last. E. Gregory, however, proved too tough for "Old Father Neptune," and laughed at the miseries of his companions, for when the following day was anything but a pleasant one, Thursday, however, saw most of them mend rapidly and amusing themselves at whist, quoits, &c. At half-past 7 on Friday morning the City arrived at the Sandridge pier, after a passage of 62 hours, and even at that unseemly hour there were found two or three assembled together to welcome our players, including our old friends, Tommy Wills, the evergreen "Sam," Conway, and others. The train quickly rattled all up to town, where mine host of the "Rothsay" had everything in readiness. Breakfast was barely half through ere the long room was full of faces well known to most of our men, Mr. Macarthur (President of the M. C. C.), Mr. D. S. Campbell, Mr. Biddle, the secretaries of the three leading clubs, and a bunch of the leading players; and there was cricket talked—just a little. That day saw our team hard at practice on the M. C. C. ground in the morning, and on the E. M. C. C. in the afternoon. The rolling of the steamer still showed its effect on some; but the crowd of on-lookers were not long in finding out how hard Bannerman could hit, and the colt *par excellence* was voted "a good 'un." Thompson and E. Gregory showed well in practice, as also did Hand after an innings or two. Docker's bowling was closely scanned, and the man who called it a throw, dubbed a donkey without delay. Dave also had quite a number of attentive friends, who admired what they called his "shying" immensely, and "Who are the umpires?" went whispering about. Practice was impossible on Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday—an equinoctial gale came up and lasted three days, spoiling the wickets. On Thursday the team went to the South Melbourne Ground at Emerald Hill, which was kindly offered by that club, in consequence of its being on a higher and more sandy situation than the other two grounds. Here a capital wicket was procured, and some good practice resulted. The Eleven also spent the morning of Good Friday in practising on that ground, which, with its perfect appointments and good turf, was voted the best they had ever seen. Good Friday was the only day on which the Victorian Eleven got any practice together at all, and they kept at it all day to make up for lost time. A good deal of difficulty had been experienced in picking them; unlike ourselves, they have such a large number to chose from, all about a par, that who to leave out is a ticklish question. Would Allen come down from the country? How would Robertson shape? What about Tommy Wills? Was Boyle, the Sandhurst man, fit? and so on *ad infinitum*. Allen, a new fast bowler, who has done the Johnsonians some service in the last two seasons, was a hot candidate until the fifteen went into practice, when he was voted too uncertain; and, although one of the best fields in the two colonies, his batting is not first-class. In practice, Robertson, W. Campbell, Gibson, and Goldsmith batted very well, and Sam Cosstick was in rare buckle on Good Friday. Boyle also bowled excellently in practice. Allen, as usual, would not try to bowl, but Wills often showed that "his right hand had not forgotten its cunning," and the most artful of artful dodgers was as full of dodges as ever. His batting and fielding was rather shy, while his old comrade in the field "Sam," was never in such batting form in his life.

On account of the recent rains the M. C. C. ground was almost a morass. Friday was a "good drying day," but both teams cast very glum looks on the wicket, and wondered who would win the toss on the morrow. That evening the betting was 2 to 1 against Sydney. We will now describe the play of the

FIRST DAY.

Saturday morning broke auspiciously, a thin foggy haze promised a warm day, and shortly after 10 o'clock, old col came out right gloriously, and the cricketers had a splendid day before them. About 11 o'clock, the "bus" containing our eleven was seen wending its rumbling way among the cabs, traps, &c., bound in the same direction as itself, and strange to say, of these there were a large number, the change of date has done the coffers of the M. C. C. some good. Easter being holiday time, the citizens of the "Queen of the South" thronged in goodly numbers to the pretty enclosure in the Richmond paddock, and during the day nearly 4000 spectators assembled to witness the play. The well-known ground hardby ever looked better, the rain had caused all the brown tinge it had assumed on the outside to disappear; all the booths around, and the pavilion itself, were decked with fluttering lines of many-coloured flags; the sombre ring of people formed a capital back ground to the open and level plain of green which they hemmed in, and the uniforms (all immaculate on the first day) of the players in the centre, presented a pleasing contrast, while to cap all, the day was a glorious one—one of those when it seems that

"A lovelier emerald twinkles in the grass,
A purer sapphire sinks into the sea."

At half-past 11 the two captains toss for choice of innings. "I'll bet you an even pound I win it," said Wills, but the cautious Edward was not on—and well for him he was not, for he lost, and had to send his men in to bat on a wicket, more like mashed potatoes than anything else I can just now think of. Allen commenced the trundling at the western end, Gibson took the sticks, Kelly was point, Williams short leg, W. Campbell long stop, Robertson cover, Boyle mid off, Wills short slip, Goldsmith long leg, Cooper mid on, and Cosstick took the second over. Things began badly for us. "Nat" and Dickson went first to the wickets, and the latter, alas, was clean bowled by Allen's second ball, a little up, but banging like the mischief. The century appeared on the board in a most unpleasant fashion, when Dave joined Thompson. Matters mended somewhat between them, both played with vigour, and shortly the board told a different tale—10 up, 20 up, 30 up, and then Allen would not be denied, the centre stump again falling prone to mother earth, and Dave had to leave. The next comer was Allen, and when Allen meets Allen, then comes the tug of war; but the tug this time was all one way, and the off stump fell to almost a cracker. Bannerman now came to the rescue, and great things were expected. "They hang like blazes," cried Nat to him, and so he soon found to his cost. In the next over but one, Allen put in a very wily one, very high, and very enticing, very slow, and very short; out went the colt to it, but when he got there, knew not what to do—the ball had not yet arrived.

"He thought to hit, and then thought he would'nt,
He thought to block, but then he could'nt."

and it ball rising slowly into Gibson's eager hands, the ball was nearly lifted, with poor Bannerman a yard out of his ground. In the meantime Wills had relieved Cosstick to give him a spell, and Sellars no-balled him three times; and Tommy bowled a wide also, the crowd groaned "a wee," and Allen's success soon put them in a good humour, and Cosstick again appeared at the crease all the better for his rest, and bowled five maidens running. After the colt's discomfiture, the captain came to join his "good man and true," who all this while showed capital cricket, playing Allen, and scoring off Cosstick and Wills, making a very fine leg hit for 4 off the former; but "Sam" had his revenge ere long, the third ball of his thirteenth over was played into his own knee by Thompson, and glancing thence into the air Kelly had him easily at point amid Victorian rejoicing. Hand, "the Englishman," comes next

"to taste our *Allen's* cheer,"

looks at him hard and likes him not, then, taking his guard, the first ball breaks across, striking him on the shoulder, and the second—oh! tell it not at home—was a simple creaser and bowled him clean; his height and reach should have enabled him to hit it out of the ground. Allen is again busy, and it was E. Gregory's turn next. A slow short ball, the last one of the same over in which Hand succumbed, was waited for by the former, who waited and waited to hit it across the wicket to square-leg. It hung. "Will it ever come," murmured short-leg, who expected a very hot chance. Gregory was too quick for it after all, and, bending his knee, it struck him fair before the wicket. "Ah, ha! my noble captain, I told you how 'twould be," cried Allen, as he danced a lively measure round that most sedate of umpires—Smith. The remainder of the innings can be easily described. Sheridan was not put in early enough it was generally thought. He shaped well. C. Gregory was very cleverly caught by Kelly at point, and Docker was unfortunate in being treated likewise by Willie Campbell at longstop, off Cosstick—an attempt at a leg hit going straight up. "Old George" was the favourite of the crowd, who applauded him vociferously when he stepped out to Allen for 3 in the long-on, but another tempter from that arch-deceiver "could not be refused, and it was Bannerman who came out again with the old veteran—the innings closing for 80 exactly, worth double the number on any other wicket. An hour and a half was taken up with this 80 runs, and luncheon was partaken of ere Sydney took the field. A capital "feed" was enjoyed by both teams, and New South Wales made a long innings at the table. Mr. D. C. Macarthur presided, with E. Gregory at the post of honour at his right, and Wills at his left. No speechifying, thank goodness, and soon to the field once more. Shortly before 3 p.m. Gregory had his men placed thus:—Nat Thompson bowling, Hand, point, Bannerman cover, Docker long-on, Dickson mid-off, Sheridan mid-on, C. Gregory long-leg, G. Moore short-leg (the old spot), Allen long, and the captain himself short-slip, Dave Gregory bowling at the eastern end. W. Campbell and Goldsmith came first, and a change was called for ere they were parted, both playing the fast bowling with ease; the veteran Moore, however, did the business for both, getting Goldsmith off his pad, and enticing Willie out, and bowling him clean. Bravo! old man. Cooper came next, and Victoria thought him on that wicket good for half a century. He made a couple, and again was the old man useful—catching him at short leg as he did twelve months ago on the Albert ground. Gibson and Kelly however got together now, and pulled the score up from 21 to 86, both getting at Moore, the former making four fourers off him to leg, and Kelly stepping out to him. Several changes were tried; Bannerman going on, and Kelly giving a very hot chance to E. Gregory at short-leg off him, not taken. The slows were tried, "Nat," performing but unsuccessfully. Docker at last bowled Gibson with a creaser, and Kelly soon after was caught by "Dave" off Moore, a long hit to the off. Cosstick fell another victim to the old Maitlander, with the score 1, b. w. to his name. "Tom" did not like it at all. When the stumps were drawn Robertson and Boyle were well in. The fielding of both teams during the day was capital. Unfortunately, C. Gregory, in trying to stop a fourer, hurt his hand against the pavilion fence, fracturing a small bone. Oatley fielded substitute, and fielded well.

The wicket was dead, dead, and suited Allen all to pieces, and he bowled a great deal with his head. Cosstick could do nothing on it, and the only bowler of our team who liked it was "Old George." The wicket dried rapidly, and the Victorians had a better one to play on than our men had.

SECOND DAY.

The two teams had a day's rest on Sunday, which turned out a warm day—so warm that it was feared the weather would change and rain come again ere the morrow. The night passed, however, with a heavy fall of dew only, and Easter Monday came in promising a splendid day, and splendid it truly proved, real cricketers' weather, made to order. The M. C. C. has been extremely fortunate in getting two such fine days as Saturday and Monday on which to play the Intercolonial Match of 1872. Their coffers have been swelled to the extent of about £330, £180 having been taken at the gates on Saturday, and on reckoning up Monday's receipts £147 was found to be the sum represented by the deep ring of spectators round the ground, that rejoiced the hearts of the committee on that day. Monday's crowd was larger than that of Saturday, although the takings did not amount to so much, this being accounted for by the presence of those who had purchased two-shilling tickets for the three days, and the sale of which went to the credit of Saturday's receipts.

The wicket which on Saturday had proved so dead, had dried considerably; the first day's play had cut it up rather, and now it looked somewhat rough. "Docker will be there, or thereabouts, to-day," said Nat, before starting, "a little lively, and with few convenient holes and lumps, is what he likes." But the prediction was not fulfilled, as will be seen. It will be remembered that on drawing the stumps on Saturday, Victoria had lost 6 wickets for 95 runs, Boyle and Robertson being in with a couple each to their credit. Shortly before noon the game was resumed, Robertson taking the first over from Docker, who bowled from the western end; Dave Gregory handling the ball at the other end. Both batsmen, however, were at home to the bowling, and in less than 13 runs were scored off Docker in three overs (12 balls); and thinking he could do better than that himself, the captain relieved him; but this failed to make any immediate alteration in the state of affairs, runs coming fast off both, and some of the prettiest batting of the match being shown by Robertson and Boyle, 100, 110, 120, even 130 goes up, and then the veteran is once more called upon, amid cheering from all parts of the ground, for "Old George" was a favourite with the crowd. The change proved a wise one, for the next ball the old man bowled, the second of his second over, was well up to Robertson, who turned to play back, was too late, and clean bowled was his fate. 7-23-138 says the board, and O. Williams takes the vacant crease; his first ball was a little too familiar with his off stump, but took no liberties therewith, the second he stepped out to and drove along the carpet for a single, and then he faced E. Gregory's bowling; and the very first ball was played mildly back into that bowler's hands. 8-1-139 appears on the board, as the Hon. secretary of the Johnsonians receives the consolations of his friends. The next comer's appearance was the signal for general applause. Tommy Wills was ever a favourite with the crowd. He made a double in the slips off E. Gregory, in his own peculiar style; and his partner then scored a single and a four off Moore; but the latter quickly paid him out; in attempting to cut a good length on the off, Boyle placed the ball in Sheridan's hands at point, and 9-27-145 says the board. The last two men are now together; and "will they get the 160?" is the question. Allen at once showed that as a batsman he had been underrated, for he played Moore's bowling better than any of his companions, finally carrying his bat for 11, made in a style, which if not elegant, was at least effective, and afforded considerable amusement to the onlookers. Wills was clean bowled by E. Gregory, the innings closing for 161, or 81 ahead of our representatives' score. Luncheon was the next thing on the cards, and during its discussion there was a generally expressed wish that New South Wales would make a heavy score in their second essay. It had been arranged between the captains that a fresh wicket could be used at the end of each innings, and it was upon a fresh one, and a far better one, that our men went in to bat on in their second innings. The hopes of those who wished to see an interesting match were doomed to disappointment. The exhibition was tame—very tame. "Sam" commenced the slaughter; Sheridan, who went in first with Thompson, giving Allan a chance in the slips while attempting a leg hit. "Hard lines, Ned;" but 1-1-1 goes up, and hopes go down. D. Gregory came next, made a fine straight hit for 3 off Cosstick, which O. Williams made a good attempt to catch, and then a four was placed to his credit; when Allan began his old game, bowling him clean, 2-7-20. Bannerman now joins "Nat," and many are the hopes expressed that he may come off, and make a fine score. He got Allan away to leg for 4, off a full pitch, and got a single in trying to repeat the dose, and then, alas! Allen had him also; he just touched the ball as it passed under his bat and bowled him. 3-5-26: New South Wales looking bluer than the ribbon round their hats, Allen once more meets his terrible namesake, plays him for an over or so, in which three misses were obtained by him, and then again Gibson was useful behind the stuke. 4-3-32. Once again did the captain join his "good man and true," who, as before, was showing first-class batting form. For a time a stand was made, and runs came, but it was no use, luck was dead against the "cornstalks," one of the finest pieces of fielding of the match resulted in run-out going against Thompson's name in the scoring-book. In playing one of Cosstick's, Nat stumbled out of his crease, the ball rolling slowly away towards short; slip out went Gibson's long and spider-like arm, and all three wickets were swept down ere Thompson could recover his balance,—the whole was done instantaneously, and drew forth tremendous applause, as, in obedience to Sellars' fiat, Nat took the "home track" once more. 5-15-48 rang out the scorers. The next five men managed to get a run amongst them somehow, it is believed Hand knew most about that particular single. There was nothing to describe in the discomfiture of these five, the captain rather softly played one of "Sam's" back. Robertson ran Docker out by a smart piece of fielding at cover; albeit, the latter did measure his length on mother earth in his endeavour to get back. Moore was stumped off Allen as before; and C. Gregory, who came in with his wounded arm strapped across his chest, and batted one-handed, was bowled clean first ball; naturally, his pluck procured him a hearty cheer from his antagonists as he took his guard. Dickson's performance was very creditable, though not of much service to the State. He saw five men out, and carried his bat for a symmetrical circle, 55 being the total; Victoria thus winning the very tamest Intercolonial Match ever played, by one innings and 26 runs to spare. The wicket played on at first; by our men was much against them, and just suited Allen's bowling; but that prepared for them on Monday could not be found fault with, and no excuse can be made for the poor exhibition of batting they made. Nat Thompson and E. Gregory were the only men to show that they knew how to handle a bat. The colt was nowhere, his discomfiture in the first innings being the softest thing of the match. Hand was lowest scorer for us; but some did not score at all, so he can crow over them. The Victorian batting also did not come up to general expectation. Gibson's 41 was not equal to Thompson's 31, but Robertson and Boyle's exhibition was good; the famous E. B. Cooper did not come off, O. Williams and W. Campbell hung fire, and George Moore reaped a goodly harvest. The fielding on both sides was first-class, and Victoria's bowling simply "a caution." It won the match undoubtedly; Cosstick bowled well all through, but had no luck; Allen will not be forgotten by our men for many a season. Among all our cabbage-tree-hatted cornstalks can we not raise an Allen? Let the committee look around, for our bowling is not good enough for Victorian batsmen. Had the veteran been left behind, Victoria would have been in batting now, and the score mounting to four figures. Our umpire did not give universal satisfaction to our opponents, nor the crowd, who were indignant, one and all, that Dave Gregory was not no-balled, especially as Wills had been so treated by Sellars. We all know the general opinion of Dave's delivery, and certainly to the eyes of everybody but Sellars he threw every ball; but the Victorians say, "Give us a good wicket, and he may shy away for a month;" and certainly he has not been successful this trip. It must be pleasing to all true lovers of the game to see that the best bowling on both sides has been that about the delivery of which there has been no question.

Subjoined is the complete score of the match:—

NEW SOUTH WALES.

FIRST INNINGS.

Dickson, b Allan	0
Thompson, 3 1 1 1 1 2 4 1 3 2 4 1 3 1 4, c Kelly, b Cosstick	31
D. Gregory, 2 2 2 1 1 3, b Allan	11
H. A. Allen, b Allan	0
Bannerman, st Gibson, b Allan	9
E. Gregory (captain), 2 1 3 1 1 1 1 2 2 1, c and b D. Gregory	15
Sheridan, 2 1 2 3, not out	8
Hand, b Allan	0
C. Gregory, c Kelly, b Allan	0
Docker, 1 2 2, c W. Campbell, b Cosstick	5
G. Moore, 2 3, st Gibson, b Allan	5
Wide, 1; no balls, 3	4
Byes	0
Total	80

Wickets fell thus: 1—0, 2—34, 3—46, 4—46, 5—50, 6—65, 7—65, 8—65, 9—70, 10—80.

SECOND INNINGS.

Sheridan, c Allan, b Cosstick	1
Thompson, 3 1 3 1 1 1 1 3, run out	15
D. Gregory, 3 4, b Allan	7
Bannerman, 4 1, b Allan	4
Allen, 1 1 1, st Gibson, b Allan	3
E. Gregory (captain), 2 1 4 2 3 4 1, c and b Cosstick	17
D. Dickson, not out	0
Hand, 1, c Kelly, b Cosstick	1
Docker, run out	0
G. Moore, st Gibson, b Allan	0
C. Gregory, b Allan	0
Byes, 3 1 1 1	6
Total	55

Wickets fell thus: 1—1, 2—20, 3—26, 4—32, 5—48, 6—53, 7—55, 8—55, 9—55, 10—55.

VICTORIA.

FIRST INNINGS.

Goldsmith, 1 2 2 3 4, b Moore	12
W. Campbell, 1 2 1, b Moore	4
Gibson, 3 1 1 1 4 1 1 1 1 1 2 4 4 1 4 1 1 1 1 1 1 3 1, b Docker	41
Cooper, 1 1, c Moore, b Docker	2
Kelly, 1 2 2 2 3 1 2 3 1 4 1 3, c D. Gregory, b Moore	25
Robertson, 1 1 3 1 4 1 1 2 4 4 1, b Moore	23
Cosstick, 1 4, 1 b w, b Moore	5
Boyle, 2 2 3 1 4 2 1 1 1 3 2 1 4, c Sheridan, b Moore	27
Williams, 1, c and b E. Gregory	1
Wills (captain), 2 1 1 2 1, not out	7
Allan, 2 1 4 4, not out	11
Bye, 1; leg bye, 1; wide, 1	3
Total	161

Wickets fell thus: 1—14, 2—21, 3—32, 4—86, 5—86, 6—93, 7—138, 8—139, 9—145, 10—161.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

	First Innings. Balls.	Runs.	Maidens.	Wickets.
Allan	108	35	18	8
Cosstick	66	37	11	2
Wills	8	4	3 no balls 1 wide	
	Second Innings.			
Allan	91	25	13	5
Cosstick	84	34	12	3

VICTORIA.

	First Innings.			
D. Gregory	88	24	11	0
E. Gregory	100	27	13	2
Thompson	44	12	5	0
G. Moore	104	56	6	6
Bannerman	16	2	0	0
Docker	72	24	10	2
Sheridan	16	13	1	1 wide.

The analysis of Thompson's fast bowling showed 32 balls for 8 runs, 5 maidens, 0 wickets; and that of his slow towling, 12 balls, 4 runs, 0 maidens, 0 wickets.

On entering the pavilion, after the conclusion, it was agreed to start a one-innings match over again, and Gregory again lost the toss to Wills, Goldsmith and Allan going in first for Victoria, Thompson and Moore bowling. The former soon sent Goldsmith to the right about for a round 0, but Allan again stepped out to Moore, and knocked him about to the tune of 11, when a shooting breakback from D. Gregory, who had relieved Thompson, dismissed him. Cooper came next, and began to play with great confidence, putting a dozen together very quickly, when Moore was busy amongst his timbers, Robertson joined Gibson—who had been playing his usual steady game, and both carried their bats at call of time. Tuesday turned out dull and cloudy, and a shower of rain delayed the play until after 12 o'clock. This match was evidently not a batsman's match, the bowlers were to have it all their own way. Gibson, after playing carefully awhile for three singles, was bowled by old George, and Robertson soon after, in hitting to leg, skied one of Dave Gregory's up between the wickets, and that bowler secured it cegrely. Kelly and W. Campbell were then partners, but not for long. The former went out ineffectually to Moore, and Nat took very unpleasant liberties with his stumps. Boyle, the Bendigo man, took his place; but it was "little Jupp's" turn next; the old man was very insinuating again, and had him clean bowled with a tempter. Seven for 64, and Victoria very glum. Sam was not a whit more fortunate, Allen running him out by a very smart piece of fielding for a duck's-egg. O. Williams came next, and hopes were entertained that between Boyle and himself something might be done to mend matters; but Sheridan made a very smart catch at point ere the last Melbourne secretary had a chance to be troublesome, and Wills, the last man, came in only to see Boyle bowled by D. Gregory—the total standing at 67 only. Luncheon now intervened. Curious enough, on all three days, an innings ended just in time to have lunch at half-past 1. As on the two previous occasions, justice was done to the good things provided, and shortly after half-past 2 Victoria took the field again—Bannerman and Thompson facing the bowling of Allan and Cosstick once more. "Sixty-eight to win—will they get them?" said the spectators, and all thought they could not help it. Allen did not think so, however, and proved that his opinion was correct. It was no good; Sydney's luck was dead out. It was "muff up" by old Gibble in every over almost. The first wicket fell for 1, second for 5, third for 5; and not until Waddy and Sheridan got together were any runs made at all, the former made a splendid leg hit for 4 off Allan, up to the ladies' reserve, and Sheridan proved that his detractors here were all wrong; he played a good innings for top score Cosstick however bowled Waddy with a shooter, and Thompson was bowled by Allan with a ball

"That he did not understand,"

and probably never will if he lives for a 100 years. Pitching outside the leg stump it broke right across nearly two feet, and bumping high, Nat apparently thought at first it was going a wide to leg, and then he thought it bumped a foot over his wicket, and did not even attempt to play it; and when the bails just rolled out of their groove, Hold, bowler, and himself stood astonished. Both umpires were appealed to, and "out" was the fiat. E. Gregory played a merry, lucky innings, giving two very difficult chances, a fine square leg hit being brilliantly tried for by Goldsmith. He made a splendid off drive off Allan for 4; but Cosstick, who was bowling well, had him clean ran after. Allan also fell a victim to that bowler. Eight for 41 looked bad for Sydney, but Docker came to the rescue and set to work at Allan with right good will, knocking him off—a feat he may be proud of. Boyle, who now bowled for the first time, was too much for him, however, taking his bails, and thus, by getting end of this dangerous batsman, winning for his side. One more hit for 4 would have settled the business. It was a ticklish time, and the four or five hundred spectators who encircled the ground enjoyed the closeness of the contest in reality; 9 for 61—6 to tie, 7 to win. "Will old George keep his wicket up and let Oatley make the runs?" is the question—the sequel proved that he couldn't Boyle scattering his stumps; the match resulting in another victory for Victoria, but by six runs only. Would that the Intercolonial match had been as close and exciting! The following is the full score:—

VICTORIA.

L. Goldsmith, 0, b Thompson	0
F. Allan, 3 1 1 2 3 1, b D. Gregory	11
G. Gibson, 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1, b Moore	9
B. B. Cooper, 1 2 2 1 1 1 4, b Moore	12
C. P. Robertson,

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—APRIL 6.

Petrel, schooner, 95 tons, Captain Reece, from Maryborough 24th ultimo. R. Grant, agent.

Monarch, schooner, 432 tons, Captain Champion, from Brisbane 25th ultimo, in ballast. Captain, agent.

Ziska, brig, 119 tons, Captain Scaplehorn, from Rockhampton 19th ultimo. Daniell, King, and Co., agents.

Storm Bird, schooner, 94 tons, Captain Hurley, from Maryborough 20th ultimo. R. Grant, agent.

Lady Bird, schooner, 230 tons, Captain Holm, from Wellington 9th ultimo. Captain, agent

Hannah Broomfield, schooner, 124 tons, Captain Lake, from Cleveland Bay 3rd ultimo. Passengers—3 in the steerage. J. Fraser and Co., agents.

APRIL 7.

Norman, barque, 336 tons, Captain Sweetman, from Levuka (Fiji), 17th ultimo. Passengers—Mrs. Wilson and child, Mr. and Mrs. Nieman and child, Messrs. King, Peachey, Johnston, Stephens, and Williams. Brice, agent.

Alma, barque, 168 tons, Captain Tinlay, from Warnambool 31st ultimo. Smith, Brothers, and Co., agents.

Orville, schooner, 163 tons, Captain Worledge, from Port Macdonald 31st ultimo. Captain, agent.

Suffolk, barque, 231 tons, Captain Murdock, from Adelaide 25th ultimo. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Carter and 2 sons. Captain, agent.

Fire King (s.), 170 tons, Captain Hersee, from the Manning River. Passengers—Mrs. Masters, Miss Moss, Miss Ahronson, Master Masters, Mr. Polson, Rev. Mr. Rutledge, and 1 in the steerage. C. and R. R. Co., agents.

Havilah (s.), 166 tons, Captain Fitzsimons, from New Caledonia 1st instant. Passengers—Madame Beatty, Mr. Degreslau, and 5 in the steerage. Montefiore and Montefiore, agents.

John Penn (s.), 300 tons, Captain Shreeds, from Merimbula. Passengers—Mrs. Badgery, Miss Ryan, Messrs. Solomon, Brown, Campbell, A. L. Munn, F. Deverey, Cameron, Dunn, Hall, and 6 in the steerage. I. S. N. Co., agents.

APRIL 8.

Macedon (s.), 532 tons, Captain Pain, from Melbourne 5th instant. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Grahame, Mrs. Cocks, Miss Turnbull, Miss E. Grout, Miss Hargreaves, Messrs. Marwood, Swan, Dr. Mousse, W. Haas, Finley, Dr. de Negri, Lee, Lucas, Cassidy, T. M. Dalbern, and 22 in the steerage. M. S. S. Co., agents.

DEPARTURES.—APRIL 6.

Brucklay Castle, for London.
Lady Young (s.), for Brisbane.
James Paterson (s.), for Rockhampton.
John Wesley, for Fiji.

APRIL 7.

John Knox, for Lyttelton.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—APRIL 8.

Omer et Juliet, for Hongkong; City of Melbourne (s.), for Melbourne; Duke of Athol, for Shanghai; The Tweed, for London; Hannah Newton, Amy Robsart, for Broad Sound; Quickstep, for Fiji.

CLEARANCES.—APRIL 6.

John Knox, barque, 391 tons, Captain Jenkins, for Lyttelton. Passengers—Mrs. Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Smith and child, Mrs. Templar.

Hannah Newton, schooner, 78 tons, Captain Willing, for Broad Sound and Port Mackay.

Fairy Rock, brig, 192 tons, Captain Wilkinson, for Newcastle, in ballast.

COASTERS INWARDS.—APRIL 6.

Comet, from Cape York, with 14,000 feet timber, 165,000 shingles; Day Dawn, Friend in Need, from Brisbane Water, with 1000 baskets shells; Amphitrite, from Richmond River, with 94,000 feet pine; Jessie, from Shoalhaven, with 15,000 feet timber; Urania, Clara, Mary Agnes, from Newcastle, with 335 tons coal, 150 tons stone; Morpeth (s.), from the Hunter River, with 33 bales wool, 60 bales hay, 37 casks tallow, 400 bags guano, 29 bags bones, 20 bags bone dust, 10 cases eggs, 7 coops poultry, 28 packages tobacco, 8 bags pumpkins, 20 cases mutton, 6 packages sundries; Florence Irving (s.), from the Hunter River, with 150 bales hay, 160 bags copper ore, 8 baskets prawns, and sundries.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—APRIL 6.

Jessie, Comet, for Cape Hawke; Friend-in-Need, Day Dawn, for Brisbane Water; Urania, Clara, Lady Emma, Agnes, Mary Agnes for Newcastle.

IMPORTS.—APRIL 6.

Petrel, from Maryborough: 45,000 feet timber, R. Grant.

Ziska, from Rockhampton, 78 bales wool, 53 bundles skins, 1000 cases meat, 164 casks tallow, 298 hides, 17 packages horns, 14 packages bones, Order.

Storm Bird, from Maryborough: 61,000 feet timber, 10 hides, R. Grant.

Lady Bird, from Wellington: 9 bales fungus, Order.

APRIL 7.

Norman, from Levuka: 164 bales cotton, Order.

Alma, from Warrnambool: 200 tons potatoes.

Orwell, from Port Macdonell: 3096 bags wheat, 225 bags flour.

Suffolk, from Adelaide: 2547 bags wheat, 600 bags flour.

Havilah (s.), from New Caledonia: 150 cases brandy, 11 bags copra, 2 casks tallow, Currier and Adet; 108 hides, Saddington and Sons; 19 bags beche-de-mer, 10 hogsheads cocoanut oil, Biffen and Clark; 7 hides, 4 bundles skins, 74 casks cocoanut oil, 263 bags copra, 56 empty casks, 64 bags candle nuts, 4 packages, Montefiore and Montefiore; 3 cases plants, Shepherd and Co.; 2 packages, Lane and Co.; 37 bags beche-de-mer, Order.

APRIL 8.

Macedon, from Melbourne: 208 cases chairs, 200 cases kerosene oil, 10 cases castor oil, 4 cases toilet soap, 191 floxes tobacco, 36 bales paper, 60 trunks boots, 400 ballots coir fibre, 12 bags wheat, 6 tanks, 1 bag pork, 10 cases walnuts, 3 cases biscuits, 74 bags onions, 30 cases fruit, 3 cases lampware, 1 case medicine, 131 cases clocks, 70 bags oatmeal, 4 bags barley, 1 bag bulbs, 4072 bags potatoes, 12 casks gin, 154 cases brandy, 50 cases sarsaparilla, 10 packages sundries.

EXPORTS.—APRIL 6.

Lady Young (s.), for Brisbane: 7 packages tobacco, 63 packages tea, 200 cases jam, 11 bags salt, 17 cases oilstores, 2 cases boots, 104 bars iron, 18 packages hardware, 98 sacks oats, 5 sacks seeds, 176 cases fruit, 44 bags onions, 78 bags flour, 21 kegs butter, 39 bags potatoes, 4 bags barley, 1 boat, 93 packages.

John Knox, for Lyttelton: 30 cases wines and spirits, 290 bags sugar, 80 packages tea, 10 bundles bags, 200 tons coal, 1500 felloes, 4000 feet timber, 1000 spokes, 10 drays, 135 shafts, 220 stocks, 29 piles, 8 packages.

Hannah Newton, for Broad Sound and Port Mackay: 68 cases wines and spirits, 15 packages hardware, 161 packages tea, 52 cases jam, 5 cases kerosene, 8 cases tobacco, 20 bags rice, 28 bags salt, 35 bags sugar, 51 packages oilstores, 79 packages beer, 13 cases confectionery, 30 tons coal, 80 bags potatoes, 25 bags onions, 140 bags flour, 37 bags salt, 2 buggies, 6 cases muskets and ammunition, 88 packages.

SHIPS' MAILS.

MAILS will close at the General Post Office as follows:—

FOR LONDON.—By the Tweed, this day, at noon.

FOR FIJI.—By the Quickstep, this day, at noon.

FOR DUNEDIN.—By the Magellan Cloud, this day, at 6 p.m.

FOR BROADSOUND AND PORT MACKAY.—By the Amy Robsart, this day, at 6 p.m.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.—By the Atalanta, this day, at 9 a.m.

FOR FRIENDLY AND NAVIGATORS.—By the Upolu, this day, at 6 p.m.

FOR MELBOURNE.—By the City of Adelaide, on Tuesday, at 3.30 p.m.

CUSTOM HOUSE.—Entered Outwards: April 5. Mary Blair, barque, 328 tons, Captain Carson, for Hongkong; Fairy Queen, brig, 214 tons, Captain Rolls, for Melbourne, via Newcastle; City of Adelaide (s.), 824 tons, Captain Walker, for Melbourne.

The Agnes Irving, 3 tons, R. Cox, has just received a complete overhaul at the A. S. N. Co.'s establishment. She has, among other repairs, received a new piston rod, and, having been placed on the Slip and cleaned and painted, is again in first-class order.

The James Paterson (s.) has been overhauled for the usual six months' certificate, and will be kept in the Northern trade.

The Lady Young (s.), for Brisbane, and James Paterson (s.), for Rockhampton, left the port on Saturday.

The schooner Monarch, which arrived on Saturday from Brisbane, has been forwarded up to this port for sale.

The Petrel, from Maryborough, touched at Brisbane, but brings in a cargo of timber shipped at the former port.

The schooner Lady Bird, from Wellington 9th instant, and will load back. She reports moderate weather in Cook's Straits, and strong S.W. and N.E. winds since.

The cargo of the Fire King (s.) consists of 472 bags maize, 55 bags wheat, 128 bags oats, 30 bags bran, 50 bags lime, 149 cedar boards, 14 coops poultry, 17 cases eggs, 64 hides, 21 pigs, 9 bales tobacco, and sundries. She was detained eight days inside the bar through heavy sea, and for want of water. Passed the Agnes Irving (s.) off Seal Rocks.

The arrivals during Saturday and yesterday comprise five vessels from the northern ports and from Warnambool; two from Adelaide; Norman, from Fiji; and Havilah, from New Caledonia.

The barque Norman left Levuka on the 17th ultimo, and had moderate winds to Norfolk Island, which was passed on 24th ultimo, but from thence she has had very heavy gales from the southward.

The Hannah Broomfield, from Cleveland, with a cargo of copper, wool, &c., has had a very bad weather passage. She left on the 3rd ultimo, and has met with a continuance of spring gales from the southward.

The Havilah (s.) arrived yesterday from New Caledonia, and from the following report of her passage hence, kindly furnished by Mr. Banks, the chief officer, it will be seen that she had to contend against some very heavy weather:—The Havilah left Sydney at 3.30 p.m. on the 18th ultimo, cleared the Heads at 6.30 p.m., passed Lord Howe's Island at 5.30 a.m. on the 21st, and arrived at Noumea on the 27th at 8.30 p.m. Experienced strong E. and N.E. winds, with vivid lightning and heavy rain, until noon on the 23rd, in latitude 27·42 S., longitude 163·37 E.; wind became light, and veering all round, with wild appearance. During the afternoon wind freshened to a strong breeze from the eastward, with a low and fast-falling barometer. At 5 p.m. tacked ship to the southward, and eased engines to quite slow. At 8 p.m. head gale and heavy sea; ship under close-reefed maintopsail. At midnight it was blowing a hurricane, with terrific sea; ship labouring heavily, and shipping much water. At 1.30 a.m. on the 24th shipped a heavy sea, filling main deck and starting bulwarks forward, with all lashings, washing several packages of deck cargo (matches) overboard, also one horse, and drowning three others on deck. The remaining portion of the deck cargo (fruit), was thrown overboard to ease ship. Wind continuing its full force until 5 a.m., when the barometer was at its lowest range (29·22), at which time the wind commenced to veer to N.E. with terrific squalls and very heavy sea; at 6 a.m., barometer rising, and weather moderating; during the day wind gradually decreasing, with very heavy sea; at 7.30 p.m., tacked ship to the northward, and proceeded on our voyage; the remainder of passage had strong N.E. winds and heavy sea. Left Noumea again for Sydney at 2.30 p.m. on the 1st instant; cleared the reef at 4 p.m.; and entered Port Jackson at 3.45 p.m. on the 7th, having experienced fresh southerly winds and deep swell throughout the passage. The schooner Isabella, from Port Mackay, to the Southern Islands, with returning natives, was spoken on the 2nd instant in latitude 23·40 S., and longitude 164·10 E.

The Macedon (s.) left Port Phillip Heads at 9.30 p.m. on Friday, passed Cape Howe at 1 a.m. on Sunday, and entered Sydney Heads at 1 a.m. this (Monday) morning. Experienced moderate westerly winds to Gabo, and light head winds from there, with fine weather throughout.

The John Penn (s.) left Merimbula bar at 9.30 a.m. on the 5th instant; passed Montague Island at 9.30 p.m.; touched at Kiama and Wollongong. Experienced light variable wind to Kiama, thence to Sydney light N.E. winds with fine weather. She brings up 800 bags bark, 40 bags wheat, 170 kegs butter, 250 cases maizena, 8 bales wool, 2 bundles sheepskins, 5 bales leather, 12 bags bran, 300 cheeses, 1 cask tallow, 6 casks oil, and sundries.

The May Queen, schooner, crossed Wide Bay bar on the 27th of March; passed Cape Moreton on the 28th, Richmond Heads on the 30th, and Port Stephens on the 5th instant. Experienced light weather up to the 30th of March, then strong south-west up to the 6th instant.

THE CRUISE OF THE NATURALIST.—Captain Cockerill forwards some further particulars relative to the cruise of the little ketch Naturalist. Writing from Somerset on the 29th ultimo, to the *Brisbane Courier* of the 27th ultimo, Captain Cockerill states that they arrived after an absence of two months and nine days from Brisbane, nearly two months of the time having been spent in the passage between Cleveland Bay and Cape York, in consequence of a continuance of head winds. The Naturalist touched at the Barnard Islands, and remained there four days, where a large number of Victoria rifle birds were seen, for which these islands are celebrated. Also remained fourteen days at the Claremont Isles, where Mr. Cockerill imagines all the known egrets in the colonies must breed. Here 350 eggs were obtained in the course of a few hours. The birds were all in full plumage, both male and female being decorated with flowing feathers. The Naturalist was detained for fourteen days at Bird Island, in consequence of unfavourable weather, the island being only twelve hours' sail from Cape York, which rendered the detention the more vexatious. On the 23rd January the Naturalist stood into Ninian Bay, distant eight miles south of Cape Melville, to avoid the strong easterly current which was encountered. Two canoes came off to the vessel with four natives in each, who gave the Naturalist to understand that there was plenty of fish to be obtained on shore as well as a supply of good water. The natives appeared very anxious to induce one of the visitors to go on shore with them in order that the vessel might be piloted to an anchor. Captain Cockerill promised to do so the following day, it being then late in the evening. The natives appeared very much dissatisfied at the delay, gesticulated and spoke angrily, and endeavoured to board the vessel; but not admiring their appearance, only one was allowed to come on board at a time. Some tobacco, calico, biscuits, &c., were handed to them; but instead of appeasing them they became urgent in their demands for more, the native on board refusing to leave the vessel until it was found necessary, to expel him by force, which was summarily resorted to by pitching him overboard. After lingering about the vessel for some time the canoes were then paddled ashore, where a large number of natives were assembled. Finding the absolute necessity of keeping them at a respectful distance the Naturalist was anchored about four miles from the land, and a good watch kept up. About half-past 9 o'clock the same night seven or eight canoes were observed making towards the vessel, and no time was lost in weighing anchor and taking advantage of a slight breeze that had sprung up. Several volleys were fired over the heads of the natives, which seemed to surprise them somewhat, as they checked their pursuit and returned to the shore. A very heavy squall of wind and rain came on, but luckily fair, and the schooner proceeded on her voyage, rounding Cape Melville about 11 o'clock the same night, and coming to an anchor about two miles off the land.

NEWCASTLE.

ARRIVALS.

April 4.—King Philip, ship, Daly, from Melbourne.
April 4.—Adelia Carleton, barque, Carleton, from Melbourne.
April 4.—Bravo, schooner, Thompson, from Melbourne.
April 4.—E. J. Spence, barque, Gill, from Melbourne.
April 4.—Rebecca Jane, brig, from Sydney.
April 4.—Mary Smith, schooner, from Sydney.
April 5.—Alpha, schooner, Thompson, from Richmond River, with timber.
April 5.—Jane, brig, Westbrook, from Brisbane.
April 5.—Archer, American ship, 950, Evans, from San Francisco 15th February.
April 5.—Mary Grant, brig, Ward, from Sydney.
April 5.—Alexander, brig, 288, Brabham, from Melbourne.
April 5.—Union, brig, 158, Rapp, from Auckland.
April 5.—Scotia, brig, Yew, from Sydney.
April 5.—Chateaubriand, French barque, 385, Eyre, from Melbourne.
April 6.—Agnes Irving (s.), from Sydney.

DEPARTURES.

April 4.—Blackbird (s.), Torrance, for Brisbane, with 240 tons coal, 100 bags oats, 5 cases cheese.
April 4.—Duke of Edinburgh, barque, Hill, for Honolulu, with 560 tons coal.
April 4.—Oberlin, brig, Craib, for Adelaide, with 350 tons coal.
April 5.—Francis Thorpe, ship, Buck, for San Francisco, with 1660 tons coal.
April 5.—Bravo, schooner, Thompson, for Melbourne, with 350 tons coal.
April 6.—King Harold, barque, M'Nab, for Galle, with 506 tons coal.
April 6.—Iris, schooner, Hansen, for Hongkong, with 262 tons coal.
April 6.—Drover, brig, M'Master, for Lyttelton, with 275 tons coal.

COASTERS INWARDS.

April 5.—Celestia, Prompt, from Sydney.

Amongst the numerous arrivals on Thursday and yesterday we may mention the following fine ships, which are to load for foreign ports, viz., the King Philip, ship, 1188 tons register; the E. J. Spence, barque, 519 tons, and the Chateaubriand, 387 tons, from Melbourne. The two latter load for Hongkong at 42s; the Adelia Carleton, barque, 394 tons, also to load for Hongkong at 39s 6d.—*Newcastle Chronicle*, April 6.

NEW CALEDONIA.

ARRIVALS.

March 13.—Depeche (s.), from Sydney, 9 days 10 hours.
March 14.—William Fox, from Tanna.

DEPARTURE.

March 8.—Claymore, for Newcastle.

[BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.]

MELBOURNE.

ARRIVALS.

April 5.—Southern Cross (s.), from Hobart Town; Coorong (s.), from Adelaide; Alhambra (s.), from New Zealand; British Commodore, from Liverpool.

SYDNEY HEADS.

DATE.	TIME.	WINDS.	REMARKS.
April 6.	8.30 a.m.	W.	Light, and clear.
	Noon.	E.	Ditto, and ditto.
	5 p.m.	N.E.	Ditto, and ditto.
April 7.	8.30 a.m.	W.	Light, and clear
	Noon.	S.	Ditto, and ditto.
	5 p.m.	S.	Ditto, and ditto.

WINDS AND WEATHER.

APRIL 6.

	9 a.m.	3 p.m.
QUEENSLAND.		
Normantown	...S. Fine	
Gilbert Town	...E. Fine	
Etheridge	...E. Fine	
Cardwell	...E. Fine	
Townsville	...Calm. Fine	
Bowen	...Calm. Fine	
Mackay	...Calm. Fine	
Clermont	...SE. Fine	
Warwick	...S. Fine	
Rockhampton	...Calm. Fine	
Maryborough	...SW. Fine	
Roma	...SW. Fine	
Brisbane	...SW. Fine	
Toowoomba	...SW. Fine	
N. S. WALES.		
Tenterfield	...N. Fine	NW. Fine
Casino	...Calm. Fine	NW. Cloudy
Grafton	...S. Fine	S. Cloudy
Clarence Heads	...S. Fine	SE. Dull
Glen Innes	...E. Fine	E. Fine
Inverell	...Calm. Fine	NE. Fine
Port Macquarie	...WSW. Fine	NW. Fine
West Kempsey	...S. Fine	NW. Fine
Armidale	...WSW. Fine	Calm. Fine
Tamworth	...Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Gunnedah	...Calm. Fine	SW. Fine
Narrabri	...Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Muswellbrook	...W. Fine	SW. Fine
Murrurundi	...W. Fine	W. Fine
Singleton	...Calm Fine	Calm. Fine
Maitland	...W. Fine	Calm. Fine
Port Stephens	...WSW. Raining	S. Fine. Sea smooth
Newcastle	...WSW. Cloudy	SW. Fine
Barrenjoey	...NW. Fine	NW. Fine
Windsor	...NW. Fine	W. Fine
Sydney	...NW. Fine	ENE. Fine
South Head	...S. Fine	NE. Fine. Sea smooth
Wollongong	...W. Fine	NE. Fine
Kiama	...SW., light. Fine.	NE. Fine
Jervis Bay	...W., light. Fine	NE., light. Fine
Goulburn	...Calm. Fine	W. Fine
Braidwood	...W. Fine, clear	Calm. Fine
Araluen	...Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Moruya	...Calm. Fine	NE. Fine, clear
Queanbeyan	...Calm. Fine, clear	Calm. Fine
Bombala	...Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Cooma	...E. Fine	E. Fine
Eden	...NE. Fine, clear	NE., fresh. Fine
Gabo Island	...W., moderate. Fine	SW., moderate. Clear
Yass	...Calm. Fine	W. Fine
Gundagai	...W. Fine	SW. Fine
Tumut	...Calm. Fine	SW. Fine
Kiandra	...Calm. Fine	SSW. Fine
Albury	...Calm. Fine	SW. Fine
Mount Victoria	...SW. Fine	W. Fine
Bathurst	...W. Fine	W. Fine
Carcoar	...Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Mudgee	...Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Cassilis	...Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Merriwa	...Calm. Fine	SSE. Fine
Wellington	...Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Dubbo	...Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Orange	...S. Fine	S. Fine
Forbes	...W. Fine	W. Fine
Grenfell	...Calm. Fine	S. Fine
Young	...Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Wagga Wagga	...NW. Fine	Calm. Fine
Urana	...SW. Fine	SW. Fine
Deniliquin	...SW. Fine, cool	SW. Fine
Hay	...Calm. Fine	SW. Fine
Moulamein	...Calm. Fine	Calm. Fine
Balranald	...NE. Cloudy	Calm. Fine
Euston	...SW. Cloudy	SW. Cloudy
Wentworth	...S.W. Cloudy, dull	SW. Cloudy
Gulgong	...Calm. Fine	E. Fine
VICTORIA.		
Melbourne	...W. Dull	
Queenscliff	...W. Dull, cloudy	
Cape Schank	...WNW. Cloudy	
Cape Otway	...NW. Squally	
S. AUSTRALIA.		
Guichen Bay	...NW. Overcast	
Adelaide	...W. Dull	
M'Donnell Bay	...W. Cloudy, fine	

READING OF BAROMETER AND THERMOMETER, 9 A.M.

BAROMETER.—Melbourne, 30·018; Queenscliff, 30·03; Cape Schank, 29·75; Cape Otway, 29·758; Guichen Bay, 30·03; Adelaide, 30·000.

THERMOMETER.—Melbourne, 61·1; Queenscliff, 62·; Cape Schank, 60·; Cape Otway, 60·; Guichen Bay, 61·9; Adelaide, 65.

GUNPOWDER IN STORE.—From a return of merchant's gunpowder in the magazines at Goat Island, published in the *Government Gazette*, we learn that on the 1st April there were 16,831 lbs. canister, and 28,338 lbs. of blasting powder; making a total of 47,169 lbs.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—A DISTRESSING CASE.—The *Goulburn Herald* reports that on Friday afternoon the Coroner (Mr. Betts) held an inquest, at the Goulburn Hospital, on the body of John Charles Gordon. From the evidence, it appeared that the deceased, a miner, thirty-five years of age, on Tuesday afternoon was working in a race at the Jacqua diggings, making it wider, when a quantity of earth fell upon him and crushed him, causing him severe internal injuries. He was attended first by a Mr. Beales, and on Thursday by Dr. Haley, who, finding that the case was a very dangerous one, and that an operation was likely to be required, and there being no appliances at Spring Creek for the treatment of the case, ordered his removal to the Goulburn Hospital. Mr. Moore, storekeeper at Spring Creek, consented to bring him in his spring-cart, but he died on the way, about 1 o'clock on Friday morning. The jury returned a verdict of "Died from injuries accidentally received." Deceased leaves a wife and four young children, the eldest about six years of age, the youngest a month old, totally unprovided for.

THE GRASSHOPPERS.—These insect plagues (observes the *Wagga Express*) are approaching the town from the lower river districts in flights of countless myriads. They appear now to be travelling in an easterly direction, and the advanced guard, as we learn, has already reached Kiandra. When on the move they fly at an unusual altitude, thousands and thousands of them, as our informant states, passing above the tops of the highest trees. The damage they do to the young feed now springing up is incredible, and, if the plague continues, the country visited by them is likely to be utterly denuded of every vestige of herbage.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, SYDNEY.

Latitude 33° 51′ 41″. Longitude 10h. 4 m. 46s.
Magnetic variation 9° 32′ 41″ East. 19th January, 1872.
The time ball is dropped daily (Sundays excepted), at 1 p.m Sydney mean time, or 2h. 53m. 14s. a.m. Greenwich mean time.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

Barometers corrected to 32° Fahr., and to mean sea level.
Velocity of wind, measured in miles per hour, and the force deduced from velocity.
Rainfall and evaporation measured in inches.
Scales of { Humidity, 0 to 100. Cloudy sky, 0 to 10. Ozone, 0 to 10.

APRIL 5, 1872. CIVIL RECKONING.

Hour.	Barometer.	Temperature in Shade.	Humidity.	Wind. Direction.	Velocity.	Force.	Cloudy Sky.	Rain.	Ozone.
A.M. 9	29·883	65·1	70	W.	10	0·5	0	0·00	5·5
P.M. 3	·814	70·4	63	SE.	10	0·5	5		
9	·918	63·7	92	W.	5	0·1	1		5·5
Mean ...	29·872	66·4	75·0		8	0·4	2·0		4·5

Evaporation in 24 hours, 0·110.

SELF-REGISTERING THERMOMETERS.

Shade { Maximum ..... 75·2 Sun —maximum ... 113·1 Minimum ..... 58·9 Grass—minimum ... 53·1

Thermometer with black bulb in black wool, and protected from wind, maximum, 174·0 at 12·35 p.m.

Temperature of sea water, 3 feet below the surface, at Fort Denison, at 9 a.m., 70·3.

Total rainfall from January 1 to April 6 = 29·968 inches.
Annual average of the preceding 13 years = 50·795 inches.
Average rainfall for the period January 1 to April 1 for previous 13 years = 16·268 inches.

METEOROLOGICAL STATIONS.

Arranged in order of latitude, with distance from the coast, and height above sea, where it is known.
Only ten of the stations have barometers and hygrometers.

STATIONS.	Least distance from East coast in miles.	Height above sea in feet.	At 9 A.M.—APRIL 6, 1872. Barometer.	Temperature in shade.	Humidity.	Wind. Direction.	Force.	For 24 hours previous to 9 a.m. Max.	Min.	Rain in Inches.
TENTERFIELD.	80		—	—	—	N.	1·0	71·9	40·0	0
GRAFTON	22		—	—	—	S.	1·0	83·2	57·7	0
NARRABRI..	190		—	—	—	Calm	0·0	89·9	49·3	0
ARMIDALE..	80	3278	30·126	49·2	87	W S W.	1·0	71·2	44·1	0
P. M'QUARIE	1		—	—	—	W S W.	4·0	75·5	57·8	0
M'BR'RUNDI	94	1545	—	—	—	W.	0·0	77·6	45·0	0
CASSILIS	190		—	—	—	Calm	0·0	78·1	43·2	0
DUBBO	132		—	—	—	Calm	0·0	73·8	50·9	0
MUDGEE.....	121		—	—	—	Calm	0·0	73·4	50·0	0
W. M'TLAND	18		—	—	—	W.	1·0	77·5	57·1	0
ORANGE.....	124	2801	—	—	—	S.	9·0	65·8	46·3	0
BATHURST...	96	2200	29·981	52·5	74	W.	1·0	74·0	38·0	0
WOODFORD .	68	2192	30·035	59·0	—	Calm	0·0	69·4	54·4	0
FORBES.....	176		—	—	—	W.	4·0	79·0	52·9	0
PAR'MATTA..	16		—	—	—	NNW.	1·0	70·9	52·0	0
SYDNEY	5	155	30·009	62·5	75	W.	0·2	78·2	56·0	0
W'NTWORTH	476		—	—	—	SW.	1·0	75·5	55·0	0
YOUNG	140		—	—	—	Calm	0·0	70·0	38·1	0
WO'L'ONG'O	0		—	—	—	W.	—	71·4	54·7	0
GOULBURN ..	54	2129	29·987	—	—	Calm	0·0	71·3	37·6	0
WAGGA	161		—	—	—	NW.	4·0	64·1	42·9	0
Q'ANBEYAN .	60		—	—	—	Calm	0·0	55·2	—	0
DENILIQUIN.	287	410	30·170	57·0	75	SW.	1·0	74·1	44·2	0·02
KIANDRA	88	4640	29·098	42·4	88	Calm	0·0	58·0	30·1	0·04
COOMA	52	2637	—	—	—	E.	4·0	—	34·8	0
ALBURY	175	572	—	—	—	Calm	0·0	74·4	47·5	0
EDEN	0	107	29·888	61·7	89	NE.	1·0	70·0	56·1	0

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDUM FOR APRIL 8, 1872.

Object.	Rises.	Sets.	Phases of the Moon.	
	h. m.	h. m.		
SUN	6.19	5.44	Last quarter	1st
MOON	6·22 a.m.	6·0 p.m.	New moon	8th
MERCURY ...	7.55 a.m.	6.23 p.m.	First quarter	16th
VENUS	4.18 a.m.	4.39 p.m.	Full moon	23rd
MARS	7.9 a.m.	6.11 p.m.	Last quarter	30th
JUPITER	1.27 p.m.	11.17 p.m.		
SATURN	11·20 p.m.	1.22 p.m.	Moon's age, 0·1 days.	

Moon—G. S. Declination, 1st; in Equator, 7th; G. N Declination, 15th; in Equator, 22nd; G. S. Declination, 28th Perigee, 10th; Apogee, 15th; Perigee, 27th.

High water at Fort Denison, a.m., 8h. 29m.; p.m., 8h. 47m.

H. C. RUSSELL, Government Astronomer.

SPECIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

BEYER'S AND HOLTERMANN'S STAR OF HOPE GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited).

NOTICE.—In consequence of the illness of the Melbourne Broker, the Shares placed in his hands for disposal have not had attention, Messrs. BEYERS and HOLTERMANN have therefore permitted a fortnight's extension of time to afford an opportunity to the Melbourne public and others who have not yet taken advantage of a venture in this excellent and wealthy claim. Forms of prospectus and all information from EDWIN BENNETT, 480, George-street; and LYELL, WHITING, and CO., 323, George-street.

The SHARE LIST will positively CLOSE on the 10th instant.

KROHMANN'S CLAIM.

NOTICE TO APPLICANTS FOR SHARES.

The whole of the shares having been applied for, the balance of 10s per share is made payable on or before WEDNESDAY next, April 10th, at the Company's office, 139, Pitt-street.

All shares on which THE BALANCE SHALL NOT HAVE BEEN PAID at that date WILL BE FORFEITED.

F. L. EDWARDS, S. H. SMYTHE, C. W. WEEKES, } Provisional Trustees.

CRICHTON AND BEARD'S CLAIM

Sufficient SHARES not having been applied for within the given time, the Proprietors have WITHDRAWN the CLAIM from the market.

Depositors can receive back their deposit in full on presentation of receipt at Bank.

NOTICE,

MARYLAND SWAMP TIN-MINING CO.

Prospectuses are now ready, and, as the Share List is filling up very fast, immediate application is necessary.

BENJAMIN BRAUN, Treasurer pro tem.

THE GOLDEN FLEECE MINING COMPANY, (Late Bragg's Claims Amalgamated.)

To be registered under the Limited Liability Act. Intending applicants for shares are informed that the Share List will be CLOSED in a few days, therefore early application is necessary.

MARSHALL BAYLEY, 134, Pitt-street.

In reference to the above mining property the TAMBAROORA TIMES of the 3rd instant states:—"In our last week's summary of mining information we drew attention to some of the new claims on the Macquarie River, distinguishing prominently Bragg's claims. Since that issue, we learn that those claims have been amalgamated, and that a company is in process of formation under the title of the Golden Fleece Gold Mining Company, and we congratulate the proprietors in having a property to offer that presents so fair a prospect of a handsome remuneration to intending investors. We take a pleasure in being able to speak thus favourably of a new undertaking, as from personal observation and careful inquiry we are led to believe it will be a credit to the district. The Golden Fleece claim consists of four 2-acre leases, originally taken up by Bragg and party, and since amalgamated. Some considerable work has been done in proving this ground; and the following reefs are known to run through it:—The Oriental, Welcome, Hit or Miss, &c. A tunnel is being driven at the base of the hill, near its junction with the Macquarie, which will intersect the above reef, together with many others known to exist; and the hill is of that abrupt character that when met with there will be a stoping of several hundred feet to work on. This company's lease is bounded on the north by the Prince Alfred, Welcome, and New Caledonia leases; and on the south by the Pactolus and Golden Crown and Cross; and this situation alone should be sufficient to recommend it."

THE NEW EUREKA GOLD COMPANY (Limited).—5000 Shares, 3000 for the public; 2s 6d on application, 2s 6d on allotment, 1s calls. Company will be formed when 2009 shares have been applied for. 10 acres, rich ground, next "Band of Hope" lease, Tucker's Hill, Louisa. See detailed prospectus. Apply H. W. FOSTER and CO., Greville's-chambers.

THOMAS COOK, No. 6, Greville's Exchange, Share and Mining Broker, Marine, Fire, and Life Insurance, Accountant, Arbitrator, and Valuator. Copper, Tin, and Gold SHARES for SALE.

OVER £8000 worth of SUPERIOR WOOLLENS to be disposed of during the next six months. All Garments made to order at COST PRICE. J. TURNER, Market Cloth Hall, 484, George-street, Sydney.

LINGARD'S COUGH LINCTUS cures all Diseases of the Chest and Lungs. Try it. MYERS and SOLOMON, Sole Agents.

GOLD MINING.—In the SYDNEY MAIL of Saturday, 6th April, appears a SIMPLE EXPLANATION OF THE GOLD-MINING REGULATIONS, specially written for the guidance of Diggers and Prospectors.

RANDWICK RACES.—Illustration of the SYDNEY GOLD CUP.

SYDNEY MAIL.

BECKE'S Is Map of New South Wales; shows roads, gold, tin, and copper districts. 110, King-st.

A FEW very Superior GOODS left; to be had at the greatly reduced prices, until the arrival of New Stock, now daily expected. J. EXTON, Tailor, 301, George-street.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

G. KISS.—At the Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Thoroughbred Horses; at Camperdown, at 3, Horses.
G. M. PITT.—At his Homebush Yards, at 9.30, Fat Cattle and Sheep.
H. D. COCKBURN.—At his Mart, at 11, Furniture, Pianoforte, Ladders, Boards, Horse, Vehicles, and Sundries.

TELEGRAPHIC DESPATCHES.

AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAMS.

CAPE OTWAY.

SATURDAY.

SIGNALLED at 8 a.m., the Charlotte Andrews, barque, bound for Sydney.

MELBOURNE.

SATURDAY.

Dr. Bayldon, Superintendent of the Ararat Asylum, died this morning.

Single Wicket Match.—Victoria: First innings, 33; Sydney, 15. Victoria: Second innings, 14, and one wicket to fall. The match will not be played out; very few persons present.

Mr. Mathieson, accountant, is likely to be the new Traffic Manager of the Victorian Railways.

No business doing.

QUEENSCLIFF.

SATURDAY.

ARRIVED.—Wonga Wonga (s.) and You Yangs (s.), from Sydney; Royal Shepherd (s.)., from Adelaide.

SAILED.—Zaritha, ship, for Newcastle; Duke of Edinburgh, barque, for Sydney.

ADELAIDE.

SATURDAY.

Further sales of wheat have taken place at 5s. 6d. There is active inquiry.

THE WAGGA MURDER CASE.—The *Express* of Wednesday last says:—At the Assize Court, Isabella O'Brien, after a long and patient trial, was convicted of the murder of her illegitimate child, Daniel, by drowning him in the river in this town on the 16th of October last, and was solemnly condemned to death by his Honor Judge Faucett. The prisoner, who has rather a pleasing expression of countenance, and has greatly improved in appearance since her committal, preserved throughout the trial a most impressive and indifferent demeanour, and, until the reply of Mr. Windeyer for the Crown, scarcely seemed to realise the awful position in which she was placed. She received the verdict of the jury with perfect calmness, and appeared only to care for her child, which she fondled throughout the trial, and which at length sank to sleep, ignorant of the terrible nature of the ordeal through which its parent was passing. The child, a fine little boy of four, the illegitimate offspring of a European father, and the senior by a year of its murdered half-brother of Chinese paternity, was removed from the prisoner at the close of the trial, and was followed longingly by her eyes as it was taken from the court. At the commencement of the trial the jury panel was exhausted by challenges from the prisoner, and two additional jurymen had eventually to be taken at random from the body of the court to make up the required number. It is said that some of the jury desired to couple with the verdict a recommendation of mercy, but were overruled. The prisoner departed from the court perfectly calm and collected; her sister and the witness, Mrs. Simpson, having been hurriedly removed, violently sobbing.

THE ELECTORAL ACT.—One of the lessons taught by the recent general election (observes the *Yass Courier*) is that the Electoral Act of 1859 might very advantageously be amended by the new Parliament. Several years ago Mr. W. Forster endeavoured to do away with the present practice of collecting the names of electors, and to make it necessary that persons duly qualified should register their names, and pay a small fee for the privilege. He was then thwarted in his effort to carry this plan into law; but we imagine the time has now arrived that were the attempt renewed he would be so fully supported by public opinion that no difficulty would arise in effecting this very proper amendment in the Electoral Act.

COUNTRY GAOLS.—A correspondent complains that the country gaols are unoccupied! and wants to know how it is that the Government goes to the expense of erecting gaols in several of the country towns, and rarely ever make use of them. He instances a case in point: Queanbeyan gaol, he says, possesses sufficient accommodation to securely imprison at least twelve males and from three to six females throughout the year; the premises are well walled in, and two most trustworthy officers as acting gaoler and warder are in charge of the establishment, and yet not one prisoner is kept in the place, while other gaols are inconveniently crammed. Surely when a proper country gaol is available, and two officers under pay, the public should insist upon seeing such an outlay in building and salaries turned to account. He believes were prisoners kept in the gaol there constantly employed breaking stone for the roads and streets, that the Government would find no difficulty in effecting a ready sale for it at all times.

THE VULNERABILITY OF MELBOURNE.—In the account given by the *Argus* of the Volunteer operations on Easter Monday, at the Bay, it is stated—"True, Hobson's Bay was guarded by more than eighty heavy guns, carrying shot whose respective weight varied from 300lb. to 64lb. (exclusive of a few 32-pounders kept on board the Nelson for training purposes), but it was pretty clearly shown that, without a central point of defence, such as is afforded by the Cerberus, a similar vessel might lay Melbourne in ashes. The Cerberus herself yesterday taught her own lesson, which was that some such craft need only force the line between Point Gellibrand and the Sandridge batteries, and get beyond the reach of the heavy shell to be thrown from thence, and Melbourne would be at her mercy."

THE EXODUS OF YOUNG MEN FROM VICTORIA.—The census of the sister colony discloses the unwelcome fact that the number of the male population, between the ages of 20 and 35, is diminishing; and the press is beginning to realize the state of things alluded to by Goldsmith:—

> "Ill fares the land, to hastening ills a prey,
> Where wealth accumulates, and men decay."

Indeed, the *Ballarat Star* almost goes into mourning for the loss, and bemoans as follows:—"The colony has suffered the most serious loss that a country can sustain. The young, and therefore the vigorous and the enterprising, have left us in large numbers, and have, we may fairly presume, gone away to other places where they have found, or believe they can find, wider scope for their abilities. The facts admit of no other explanation. One paper suggests that the loss may be in part accounted for by those between the ages mentioned at the time of the last census having advanced in age, but quite forgets that those younger at that time have grown ten years older, and so swelled the numbers of those between the ages of twenty and thirty-five. Unless some fatal epidemic, of which we know nothing, has carried off the portion of the male population between the ages named, they must have left the colony, and we may believe, without much stretch of our faith, that they would not have gone if they had found this colony attractive. The time has not yet come for moralising on this state of affairs. It will take some months to get the facts fairly into the heads of those who take an interest in politics, and, as we said a few days ago, there will be an attempt to deny or explain away such damaging testimony to the character of the system which has been so much belauded during the last few years. All we ask is, and this we have a right to demand, that the laudations shall cease forthwith. There has been quite enough humbug and nonsense already, and all sides may at least meet on the common ground of fact in order to see what they can make of their new position. The protectionists, with the aid of some few blind followers of the blind, have been fiddling whilst the best part of our population has been going away."

THE POSTPONEMENT OF THE LEGER DAY.—Although the St. Leger Day was postponed only from the Saturday to the Monday, it seems to have given cause for dispute. We learn from the Melbourne *Argus* of Tuesday that "the action of the committee in altering the date for holding the Autumn Meeting has excited some very unfavourable comments on the part of the owners of horses engaged in the Champagne and St. Leger Stakes. It has also had the effect of rendering the betting on these races very uncertain, there being a very general impression that some of the bookmakers will decline to pay should they be hit hard, on the ground of the illegality of the race, and this impression has got abroad principally from the remarks of certain members of the ring when the question was mooted a few weeks ago. Some of the owners of animals engaged in the races named have written to the A. J. C. committee with respect to the forfeits, and the answer received was to the effect that the owners will be held liable for the forfeits. Some Victorian owners have not taken the slightest notice of the matter, and do not intend doing so; and in this they are supported by the opinion of Judge Cheeke, one of the first sportsmen in Australia. At the meeting of the club, held on the 11th January, when the alteration of the date of the Autumn Meeting made by the committee was ratified, this gentleman moved an amendment to the effect that the committee had acted without authority and without jurisdiction, and consequently the meeting could not sanction the alteration. Another alteration that savours very much of trickery has been made by the committee. The forfeits for the Champagne Stakes are to be declared before 4 o'clock on the afternoon on the 1st April, the day on which, by the new arrangement, the race is to be run. According to the programme first issued, the Champagne Stakes was the second race of the day, and would be run off before the time had expired for declaring forfeits. The committee put the race back in the programme, so that it was run off after 4 o'clock, and thus they imagine they have made the forfeits secure. The question now arises as to what action the bookmakers will take in the matter, and the result is looked forward to with some anxiety by those who have backed Hamlet, and who have him in doubles."

DR. DE JONGH'S LIGHT-BROWN COD LIVER OIL.—The remarkable remedial powers of Dr. de Jongh's Oil in the treatment of Infantile Wasting have been the subject of favourable comment from numerous medical men. Amongst these, Dr. Stavely King, Physician to the Metropolitan Free Hospital, observes—"I can very conscientiously testify to the superior qualities of Dr. de Jongh's Light-Brown Cod Liver Oil. I have employed it with great advantage in cases of mesenteric and pulmonary tubercle, and in the atrophic diseases of children." Sold in capsuled imperial half-pints, pints, and quarts, by all chemists, druggists, and storekeepers. Sole consignees, Ansar, Harford, and Co., 77, Strand, London.—ADV.

DRIVING CLOCKS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—Clocks for giving motion to equatorial telescopes have been in use since 1825, when Fraunhofer first applied one to the great Dorpat refractor.

The principle of this clock, and of nearly all which have since been made for this purpose, was that of the governor, balls of a steam engine, viz., the centrifugal force of two balls revolving about a vertical axis; but while in the steam-engine this is made to regulate the valve, in clocks it regulates the friction and therefore the speed of the wheels.

In Fraunhofer's the friction is produced by the balls rubbing the sides of a conical box, so that by raising or lowering the vertical axis the speed may be varied; and in the other arrangement everything is like a steam governor, except that the motion of the lever regulates the friction.

Two improvements have been made in these clocks by the Astronomer-Royal for England.

1. He added a fly-wheel to the vertical axis. 2. The friction-lever was attached by means of a vertical rod to a flat disc of metal which nearly filled a cylinder which was full of water. The use of this was to prevent *sudden* movements in the lever; for while the disc may be moved slowly with ease, any sudden motion is resisted by nearly the whole weight of water.

The defect in these clocks is simply—that the governor does not come into operation till the speed has altered. What is required is that the governor should compensate any *tendency to altered speed on the wheels*. The clock I have designed, I think accomplishes this, but it is not easy to describe. I shall be glad to show it to any one interested, and intend to put one in the coming exhibition. To those who cannot see it, the following may give an idea of its mechanism: Suppose a train of ordinary clock wheels with the pendulum removed, and in its place a horizontal screw driven by the escape wheel; the screw is cut on one end of a steel axis about 4 inches long, and this axis has a smooth wheel 2½ inches in diameter fixed to the other end. This screw axis is supported by a piece of metal forming three sides of a square (the screw being in the place of the fourth side). This frame is supported by a bar above the escape wheel, and by the wheel resting in a trough of mercury. The wheel floats in the mercury, and is, of course, free to revolve. Now, if a weight is applied to the wheels, the escape wheel will exert force on the screw in two directions; one turns the screw and the other presses it endwise against one bearing, the screw support being in effect a bent lever; the pressure on the screw has the effect of forcing the smooth wheel into the mercury, and turn it at the same time. As soon, then, as the floating power of the mercury is equal to the end pressure on the screw, a uniform revolution is produced, and the slightest variation in the pressure or friction of the wheels is at once corrected by the wheel going proportionately in or out of the mercury.

I may here add, in reply to many inquiries, that the rules of admission to the Observatory may be found in the Sydney almanacs, but are simply every Monday, from 3 to 5 p.m., to see the instruments; and at night, by card from the Astronomer, which may be obtained on application at the Observatory.

H. C. RUSSELL, Government Astronomer.

Observatory, 6th April.

THE NAVIGATORS' ISLANDS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—The fact, if fact it be, that the American Government has taken possession of one of the Navigators' Islands, is, indeed, an "event of great significance." It is significant, not merely as the key to a new foreign policy which Americans have ever disclaimed, but as an act pregnant with grave results to Imperial and colonial interests.

In your comments upon this event you do large and liberal justice to American laws, and concede that American influence, where, as in the Hawaiian Islands, it has had weight, has been beneficent. Doubtless, it has so, but do not forget that there is also at the Hawaiian Islands a strong English element—that the Government of those islands is a copy of our own, that some of the prominent members of that Government are or were British subjects—and that trade with the islands is open to all nations.

The world has heard not a little during the past three or four years of the success of American influence in opening to the commerce of all nations the closed ports of China and Japan, by the peaceful arts of a humanitarian diplomacy, unaided by ships and guns. Side by side with such efforts the assumption of sovereignty over the Navigators' is rather startling. The need of naval stations may have had some weight in determining the act. The overthrow of the Napoleonic dynasty—the secuing isolation of Great Britain and her avowed policy of non-intervention—have, too, been potent causes in bringing about the change in the foreign policy of America. But the real clue to this affair is to be found in the establishment of the Webb line of steamships. A glance at the map will show the value of these islands as a coaling station to a line running between New Zealand and San Francisco. Should they become American property, they would not, as a coaling and trading station, be open to an English line running from New Zealand to San Francisco, for no foreign ship can trade between two American ports. Mr. Webb, in his interview with the Sydney merchants, expressed his preference for the Navigators' over the Fijis as a port of call, and for diverging lines, in the event of his sending his large steamers to Sydney and Melbourne, so that it would seem that the scheme of annexation was then being hatched. Mr. Webb, from his great wealth, his leading position among commercial men as a great ship-builder and owner, and his strong advocacy of protection, doubtless commands a ready hearing from the Washington Executive. If he has induced that Government to raise its flag over the Navigators', he has not belied his reputation for shrewdness in thus forecasting, and, to some extent, paralyzing a competing line; but it must raise a somewhat sickly smile to know that we, or at least a portion of us, are paying him liberally for so doing. I am a free trader in the broadest sense of the word, taking the essence of the doctrine to be this, that a community will advance itself best by procuring all its wants at the lowest rates, irrespective of the source of the supply. In this spirit, and casting aside national prejudices, it is presumable that the New Zealand Government carried free trade to its utmost results by employing a strong protectionist to carry its mails. Logically, I cannot object to their course; but I certainly should object to having my feet and hands so tied up as to prevent my doing my work myself, if it became necessary.

The importance of the islands in question to the whole of these colonies cannot be too strongly put. They and the other groups will soon be to us what the West Indies are to the mother country, to Europe, and to America; and we have a right to insist that intercourse with them shall be unrestricted. If they become American, such intercourse cannot but be hampered by the exclusive laws which are so striking a feature in the fiscal policy of America. I am utterly at a loss to imagine what motives can have dictated this act of aggression, unless it be that which seems to me to be implied, viz., a determination to secure a monopoly of the steam trade between the Australian group of colonies and America. Of valid justification, or even fair excuse, the American Government can have none. If propinquity and the probable course of trade confer any claim, then we have a far better showing for occupation of those islands than has that Government. But the Imperial Government has emphatically declined, as in the case of the Fijis, to extend its dominion by further acquisitions. Assuredly, this act will not be allowed to pass without protest.

AN ENGLISHMAN.

MUDGEE AS A REEFING DISTRICT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—At the present time, when the extraordinary richness of the Tambaroora reefs is attracting universal attention, the relation of a few facts may prove interesting to your readers, and beneficial to those who have the discrimination to profit by them.

Up to within the last few months, the half-dozen rich claims on Hawkins Hill were the principal known paying claims in Tambaroora. Since then very rich stone has been got in an unbroken line of leases ten miles from Hawkins Hill to Chambers Creek. In the other direction, towards Mudgee, the Green Valley is now turning out splendid stone; and within the last few weeks Dun Dun, still nearer Mudgee, has attracted a large number of experienced reefers, who have taken up leases, and are getting payable stone from the surface, increasing in richness as depth is attained.

These and similar facts prove that the extent of this reefing district is as yet unknown; and I believe I shall be able to show you that the opinion of many old reefers is correct that the line of gold-bearing reefs of which Tambaroora is the centre, embraces in its run the district of Mudgee.

From the fact that attention has been almost exclusively given, and is still being given, to the Tambaroora district, the known reefs in and around Mudgee have not been tried. That they do exist, and that they are gold-bearing, however, has been amply proved. The writer could give numerous instances of cases where reefs in the Mudgee district have been tried from surface stone, or very shallow sinking indeed, and gold obtained in good quantity, with a very primitive mode of crushing. The writer is prepared to communicate with persons desirous of entering upon a promising enterprise, and can point out several properties which the owners are ready to hand over to companies, requiring no cash for their ground, but content to receive a reasonable remuneration in paid-up shares, on which dividends shall be paid equally with the other shares. This they are prepared to do, having the utmost confidence that properly-conducted companies cannot fail to pay handsome dividends, and that the shares they receive will amply remunerate them. In all these properties I have mentioned well-defined reefs exist, which have in most of them been proved to carry gold. One, for instance, had a shaft sunk on the reef in the hill to a depth of from 25 to 30 feet, the reef averaging nearly 2 feet in thickness.

All the stone raised was crushed, and yielded from 14 dwts. to 17 dwts. per ton. About a mile and a half from this place, a shaft was sunk 6 feet on the same line of reef by inexperienced men, and the whole of the stuff taken out crushed, yielding 35 dwts. to two tons. Both of these shafts are on the same property, and, with the exception of one chain, the whole would be placed in the hands of a working company on the terms I have mentioned. In another instance, a large average exists, on which a shaft was put down to a depth of 40 feet, and from 3 lbs. weight of casing 12 ounces of gold were obtained. The coarse gold found in the gully below the reef is plainly reef gold, being in almost every instance impregnated with quartz. No gold is visible at 40 feet depth, but there is no doubt from the indications I have mentioned that a rich reef runs through the property. A 76 ounce nugget was found in shallow sinking within 60 feet of this reef. There are only two of the numerous openings which are ready for bona fide working companies, who will at once set to work and probe the ground; and I have not the least doubt that those who are desirous of undertaking a genuine enterprise will find it worth their while to organize companies whose primary object is immediate work, as a very short time will suffice to probe the reefs, and, in the opinion of those whose experience gives them authority, result in a very satisfactory reward for those who undertake the enterprise. Two geologists, of high repute, the late Dr. Thomson and Mr. Norman Taylor, accompanied me through a portion of the district, and expressed their opinion that ours would prove one of the richest in the colonies. This has already (in my opinion) been verified.

ALBUS.

BOROUGH COUNCILS.

VICTORIA.—A meeting of the Council was held on Wednesday, April 3rd. Present—The Mayor (Mr. Thomas John Cook), and Aldermen Eaton, Crews, Mohrman, Carr, Hilton, Mackaness, and Charlton. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. A letter from Mr. W. T. Muston, asking the assistance of the Council in the erection of a corrugated iron fence in West Crescent-street. A letter from Mr. Robert Gilfillan, requesting some consideration for his services as auditor. A letter from Mr. Hart, asking for the temporary use of a portion of Miller-street, while two cottages, now in course of erection, are being completed. 4. A letter from Mr. William Ross, offering 1s. per perch for stone in Miller-street, and requesting permission to quarry the same. 5. A letter from W. G. Willington, giving one month's notice of his intention to retire from the position of Council clerk. Moved by Alderman Mackaness, and seconded by Alderman Crews,—"That the Improvement Committee make an estimate of the cost of a wooden fence, and that Mr. Muston be allowed to erect what kind of fence he pleases at his own cost, the amount of wooden fence to be paid to Mr. Muston." This motion was carried. Moved by Alderman Carr, and seconded by Alderman Crews,—"That the auditors be informed that the Council's funds are so low that they are unable to afford any remuneration to their auditors, but, at the same time, they are fully sensible of the valuable services rendered, and for which they wish to express their acknowledgments." Carried. Moved by Alderman Eaton, and seconded by Alderman Charlton,—"That Mr. Hart be granted the use of a portion of William-street, providing he use the necessary precautions." Carried. Moved by Alderman Charlton, and seconded by Alderman Hilton,—"That permission be granted to Mr. William Ross to quarry stone in accordance with his application; money to be paid in advance—amount 25s." Carried. Moved by Alderman Charlton, and seconded by Alderman Mohrman,—"That the Council clerk's resignation be accepted in one month after the required notice that he has now given." Carried. The Finance Committee presented a report, recommending the payment of sundry accounts amounting to £29, which, upon the motion of Alderman Crews, seconded by Alderman Mackaness, was adopted. The Improvement Committee presented the following report:—That tenders be called from persons willing to act as working foreman for the Borough of Victoria. They have visited the various streets in the borough, and estimate the cost of necessary repairs to the following, in the sums named:—William-street, £30; Blue-street, £20; Mitchell-street, £15; East Crescent-street, £50: total, £115. Moved by Alderman Eaton, and seconded by Alderman Mohrman,—"That the report of the Improvement Committee be adopted." The motion was put from the chair, and lost by a show of hands. A motion by Alderman Mackaness was, by leave, withdrawn. The Council then rose.—WALTER G. WILLINGTON, Council clerk.

WAVERLEY.—The usual monthly of this Council was held on Tuesday, 2nd instant, at 7 p.m. Present—The Mayor (Mr. John Macpherson), and Aldermen J. Birrell, L. Baglin, H. Cary, S. Dickson, D. Fletcher, W. Mortimer, and C. J. Stevens. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed. A letter was read from the Woollahra Council, stating their willingness to pay for three of the proposed gas-lights on the Old South Head Road, from Ocean-street to the Tea Gardens, if this Council will bear the expense of two, which would be at the rate of £8 per light per annum, inclusive of all charges for lighting, &c. Moved by Alderman Dickson, seconded by Alderman Birrell,—"That the letter be referred to the Improvement Committee for the purpose of considering the advisability of meeting the Woollahra Council in their wishes; and also of intimating the cost of lighting Cowper-street to Charing Cross Hotel, and Waverley-street to Bondi Hotel." Carried. The Finance Committee brought up a report recommending payment of sundry accounts, amounting in all to £75 4s. 7d. Moved by Alderman Birrell, seconded by Alderman Stevens,—"That the report be adopted." Carried. At this stage of the meeting several aldermen left the Chambers, and there not being a quorum present, the remaining business on the paper lapsed.—J. WILEY, Council clerk.

FIVE DOCK.—Fortnightly meeting, 18th March. Present—The Mayor, Mr. T. Maher, Aldermen Sutton, Dening, Croker, and Murray. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed. Moved by Alderman Croker, and seconded by Alderman Dening,—"That the estimate of the probable receipts and expenditure now submitted by the Finance Committee, viz., £350, for the current year be and is hereby adopted." Carried. The following notice of motion by Alderman Sutton having been discussed was, on the motion of Alderman Sutton, seconded by Alderman Croker, carried, viz.,—"That the Works Committee be requested to inspect the road from Parramatta Road to Bedlam Ferry and report to the next meeting as to the portion of the road absolutely requiring repairs, and the best method of carrying out such repairs." Report of valuers received. Council then rose. Special meeting, Monday, 25th instant. Present—the Mayor, and full Council. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. The Council resolved into Committee of the Whole to consider report of assessors; the assessment having been gone through, the Council resumed, and the chairman of the Committee of the Whole having brought up the assessment as amended in committee, it was moved by Alderman Murray, seconded by Alderman Croker,—"That the assessment as brought up by the chairman of the Committee of the Whole and read is hereby adopted." Carried. Moved by Alderman Croker, seconded by Alderman Preston,—"That a general rate of one shilling in the £ be made on all properties contained in the assessment, &c., and that the same be collected in half-yearly amounts." The Council then resolved into a Committee of the Whole to consider the by-laws as passed and brought up by the By-laws Committee. Moved by Alderman Sutton, seconded by Alderman Croker,—"That the By-laws as read by the Council Clerk be adopted, and that the Council Clerk do make a fair draft of the same for certifying by a barrister." Council then rose. April 3rd. Fortnightly meeting. Present—the Mayor, Aldermen Sutton, Dening, Croker, and Murray. Minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed. Alderman Croker as chairman of Works Committee brought up a report and recommendation of certain repairs to road from Parramatta Road to Bedlam Ferry, which on the motion of Alderman Sutton, seconded by Alderman Dening, was received and adopted. Moved by Alderman Sutton, seconded by Alderman Dening,—"That the Works Committee be requested to draw up a specification of such repairs, and that tenders be advertised for thrice in the *Sydney Morning Herald*." Carried. Letter from Under Secretary received, which Council Clerk was directed to acknowledge. Council then rose. GEORGE A. HEWETT, Council Clerk.

ALEXANDRIA.—A meeting of the Council was held on Wednesday, the 20th February, at 7.30 p.m. Present—The Mayor (Mr. G. Bretnall) and full Council. The minutes of the previous meetings were read and confirmed. A letter from Mr. Cox, having reference to the valuation of his property, was read and received, on the motion of Alderman Osborne, seconded by Alderman Wood. A letter from Mr. Allen was read, complaining of the overflow of water into his premises. Moved by Alderman Osborne, and seconded by Alderman Honnor,—"That the letter be received and attended to by the Mayor." An amendment was moved by Alderman Bryant, and seconded by Alderman Dart,—"That the matter be referred to the Improvement Committee." On the question being put the motion was carried. A letter from Mr. Gilbert was read, complaining of the bad state of the Mitchell Road. Moved by Alderman Honnor, and seconded by Alderman Dart,—"That the Mayor be instructed to purchase twenty load of ballast for the purpose of filling up the ruts for the present, and in the meantime the Improvement Committee will examine the road, and bring up a report by next meeting night." Carried. A letter from the Newtown Council was read, calling the attention of the Council to a nuisance in the borough arising from boiling-down establishments. Moved by Alderman Bryant, and seconded by Alderman Honnor,—"That the letter be received, and a copy forwarded to each of the boiling-down establishments by the inspector of nuisances." Carried. The chairman of the Finance Committee then brought up a report, recommending the payment of sundry accounts, amounting to £8 13s. 4d., which, on the motion of Alderman Dart, seconded by Alderman Foskett, was ordered to be paid. The chairman of the Improvement Committee then brought up a report, recommending that the kerbing and guttering at the east end of Gerard and Raglan streets be taken up and relaid, commencing about thirty or forty yards from the corner, the crossing then to be taken up and the whole to be relaid with an average fall from the starting place at a cost not exceeding £4. Moved by Alderman Osborne, and seconded by Alderman Evans,—"That the report as drawn up and presented by the Improvement Committee be received." Carried. A call of the whole Council made by Alderman Evans to take into consideration the advisability of rescinding the motion adopted by this Council, on the 16th November, 1870, with reference to the 117th clause of the Municipalities Act of 1867, was then considered, and after some discussion, it was moved by Alderman Osborne, and seconded by Alderman Honnor,—"That the motion referred to be not rescinded." Carried. Moved by Alderman Evans, and seconded by Alderman Bryant,—"That this Council do now form itself into Committee of the Whole, for the opening of tenders." An amendment was moved by Alderman Osborne, and seconded by Alderman Wood,—"That the tenders be considered with open doors." On the question being put, the motion was carried. The Council then formed itself into committee, and, upon resuming, the Mayor declared the following tenders accepted for the current municipal year:—For assessing the borough, Messrs. Wilson and Parker; for cartage, Mr. William Long; for working overseer, Mr. Isaac Gane. There being no further business, the Council rose.—JAMES JONES, Council Clerk.

ARRIVAL

OF THE

ALEXANDRA

AT ADELAIDE,

WITH THE

ENGLISH MAIL

PER BANGALORE.

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[AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAM.]

ADELAIDE, SATURDAY, 4.30 P.M.

THE Alexandra (s.) arrived at Glenelg at 2 p.m. The passage to King George's Sound occupied 100 hours, and 98 hours back.

The Bangalore (s.), Captain Burn, sailed from Galle on the evening of the 16th March, and arrived at King George's Sound on the morning of the 1st April. She was to sail for Melbourne on the evening of the 1st.

PASSENGERS.

FOR SYDNEY.—The Bishop of Sydney and Mrs. Barker, Hon. J. Devex, E. S. Tinsdon, W. Wilson, Lieutenant-Colonel Stephen, T. Warren, Lieutenant A. Wilkinsen, and Mr. J. Steisnett.

FOR MELBOURNE.—Mrs. Glagsloun and 3 children, Mr. Wilkinson, Mrs. Hart, Mrs. M'Farlane, Mr. and Mrs. Cadell, Mr. and Mrs. Mundie and infant, Mrs. Learmonth, Messrs. J. W. Cross, Rutherford, Perrins, T. A. Tallerman, A. Priche, and fourteen in the second cabin.

FOR ADELAIDE.—J. C. Kaufman.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

LONDON, FEBRUARY 23.

The Australian January mail, via Brindisi, was delivered in London on the 19th.

A complimentary dinner was given by the leading colonists in London to the Hon. G. F. Verdon as an expression of respect and admiration. It was one of the greatest successes of the kind ever achieved. Messrs. Edward Wilson, Sedgwick Cowper, and John Currie organized it. The Duke of Edinburgh referred pleasantly to his experiences in visiting the British dependencies of which he had the lion's share. Lord Kimberley spoke of the growing difficulties of maintaining so vast an Empire, but deprecated any policy calculated to produce an unfriendly severance.

A few days later the Queen distributed a shower of honours on representative colonists, already announced.

Knatchbull Hugessen's bill to constitute kidnapping of the Pacific Islanders a felony has passed. Australian Courts are empowered to try the cases, and the Australian squadron is to be strengthened.

A Memorial Fund, devoted to mission purposes, is proposed by the Propagation Society.

The British Government has not yet formally recognized the Fiji Government.

On the 20th February Mr. Macfie called attention to the last report of the Emigration Commissioners.

The Court of Error confirmed the judgment of the Court of Exchequer in the case of M'Coll versus the Australian Meat Company.

The Duke of Edinburgh's Art Collection is visited by increasing crowds at South Kensington.

The Brazilian Government is making great efforts to attract European emigrants to that country.

Upwards of a month was occupied by the Attorney-General in presenting an historical *resumé* of the fraud of the Tichberne claimant. All his Australian career has been clearly traced, except six months of 1859, when he disappeared as Arthur Orton and reappeared as Castro. General surprise is expressed that Serjeant Ballantyne did not follow Rose and Son and throw up the case.

The monstrous claims for inferential damages in the Alabama case has aroused the strong indignation of all classes in England. Everybody, including the Ministers and Commissioners, believing that the American negociators had distinctly waived the indirect claims, their revival was at first regarded as sharp attorney practice. A further scrutiny of the treaty and protocol shows that they are nowhere expressly excluded; the Americans profited by the ambiguity, and refuse to withdraw these claims from their case for arbitration. England is taunted with cowardice before an impartial tribunal, lest she should find herself mulcted in a few hundred million pounds damages. England maintains no treaty can be ratified under a wrong understanding, and the natural resolve is absolutely to refuse to recognize the indirect claims. The indignation at Yankee cunning is qualified by mortification at the obtuseness of English lawyers and officials. The Government is reproached with dilatoriness. A large balance of European opinion is on the British side; the German Press particularly pronounce the claims outrageous, and declare their right to claim similar reparation from America for assistance to France. A legislator, indeed, has moved for inquiry into this breach of neutrality.

Four of the sharpest American lawyers have arrived in Paris, ready for general pleadings, owing to a false report circulated that the separation of Canada from Great Britain had been decided upon, to be declared immediately should any disturbance take place with the United States.

The murder of Lord Mayo produced profound consternation and grief in England. His administrative ability had won the esteem of all political parties; ample provision is to be made for his family. It is contemplated the choice will fall on Lord Northbrook as his successor, which is highly approved.

The remains of Earl Mayo are to be interred in Ireland.

The fourth session of Parliament opened on the 6th; the Revenue is declared to be prosperous in the Speech. The address in the Upper House was moved by Earl Mar, and seconded by Viscount Powerscourt; and, in the Lower House, by the Hon. Henry Strutt and Mr. Colman; there was no amendment. Mr. Disraeli twitted the Government with living in a blaze of apology, but party animosities were softened and forgotten in resistance to the monstrous American claims; sixty notices of motion were recorded on the first night. The Speaker retired under the eulogy of the leaders on the 8th, and Mr. Brand was elected. On the 9th a debate was initiated by Mr. Gladstone on better arrangements for the dispatch of public business. The Ballot Bill is substantially the same, and passed the second reading by 109 to 51. The Lord Advocate has introduced a Scotch Education Bill, making School Boards compulsory, and providing a time-table for having religious teaching, which is to be settled by the majority. The second reading of the Royal Parks and Gardens Bill, vesting arbitrary powers in the rangers, though strenuously opposed, was carried by a large majority; a Mines' Regulation Bill, and a measure for the prevention of contagious diseases and the better protection of women were introduced; the Nonconformists' Burial Bill has passed the second reading by a majority of 71. A Public Health Bill was introduced by Mr. Stansfeld. A new Domesday Book is promised by Lord Halifax. An interesting discussion took place on Coolie traffic in China and Peru, which was strongly condemned.

A bill is proposed to authorise the appointment of commissions to report on the causes of the failure of the Albert and European Life Assurance Companies.

The Collier scandal is the exciting incident of the month. A vote of censure in the Lords was moved by Lord Stanhope, and negatived by only a majority of 1. The vote of censure in the Commons was proposed by Mr. Cross; the defence was led off by Sir Roundell Palmer. The Government was saved by only 27 votes.

The Licensing Bill is deferred for the present.

The Court is in mourning for the death of the Queen's niece, the Duchess of Saxe Meiningen.

The Queen holds a court at Buckingham Palace, on the 20th February.

The Duke of Edinburgh holds a levee at St. James's Palace, on March 6.

The office of Vice Chamberlain has been declined by Lord Bury, and accepted by Lord Richard Grosvenor.

Mr. Pope Hennessy is appointed Governor of the West African settlements, and is now assisting negociations at the Hague for the cession of the Dutch colonies on the Gold Coast to England.

Lord Hobart is to be Governor of Madras.

Sir Hercules Robinson has arrived home.

Sir John Gilbert is elected as an Associate of the Royal Academy.

Sir Edward Whymper has been decorated as a Chevalier of the Order of St. Maurice of Lazare by the King of Italy.

Sheriff Bennett succeeds the Rev. Mr. Rogers, on the London School Board. Professor Huxley has withdrawn.

Lord Lawrence has withdrawn his resignation.

Trouble is brewing in all the large towns on the Education question.

Mr. Disraeli visits Lancashire during Easter week.

The Duke of Newcastle and Lieutenant-Colonel Akroyd have ostentatiously withdrawn from the Liberal party.

Mr. Ruskin's election as rector of St. Andrew's University has been declared void, and the office falls on Lord Lytton.

The Judicial Committee have suspended the Rev. Mr. Purchas, of Brighton, for twelve months; he has sequestrated his property, the payment exceeding of costs £2000.

Saturday, March 23rd, is fixed for the University boat race.

An International Foot-ball Match, played on the 5th March, was won by the English.

A fatal explosion occurred at the Faversham powder mills.

Robert Kelly, acquitted on the charge of the murder of Talbot, has been sentenced to fifteen years' penal servitude for shooting another policeman.

Hepworth Dixon has commenced an action against the *Pall Mall Gazette*.

Mrs. John Wood, the American actress, was entertained at a public breakfast previous to leaving for America.

There is great activity in Woolwich Arsenal in the manufacturing of heavy cannon for naval and coast services. The colonies are also being supplied with the newest designs.

Torpedo experiments are carried on vigorously.

An extraordinary case of disappearance of a Russian traveller has occurred in London.

Colonel Tomlin's pertinacity has been rewarded by Mr. Lowe ordering the Bank to exchange old silver for new, and the Mint to coin night and day, to relieve the scarcity.

A letter has been published from Sir S. Baker, who is forcing his way through almost insuperable difficulties into the African interior.

Diamonds continue to arrive from the Cape; Lynch law prevails at the diggings, and canteen keepers have been burnt out for buying stolen diamonds from natives. Great disorder prevails.

A dreadful murder took place at Lambeth by an American surgeon, at 2 o'clock in the morning. The cause of the crime is incomprehensible.

OBITUARY.

Mr. Stanfeld, M.P.; Elberts, formerly a printer; C. Peto; Robert Paterson, F.R.S., zoologist; R. P. Weber, manager of the National Discount Company; Dr. G. E. Day, General Loroon; Major General Cheaney, aged 83; Admiral Gambier, 81; General Ewel, Confederate officer; General Beaston, Lieutenant-Colonel Alison, Lord Morray; Dr. Hinds, ex Bishop of Norwich; Sir T. Phillips; John Poole, dramatist; James Thorne, Plymouth; Rev. J. Shedlock; Leigh Hunt's eldest daughter; Mr. Chorley, musical critic; Lieutenant-Colonel Wyndham; Dr. Morriss, Bishop of Troy; Canon Barrow; Minster Gibson, Irish taxing officer.

CONTINENTAL.

FRANCE.

France is again verging on a revolutionary outbreak. The Bonapartists, Monarchists, and Republicans are all conspiring against the present transitional situation. The Legitimist party have issued a manifesto, signed by 80 Orleanists. The Republicans are greatly excited. The National Assembly are adopting measures for the safety of the country in case of an outbreak.

An important discovery of Communist correspondence has been made.

The death of Corti is a great loss to the Bonapartists.

Liensay, the Prefect of the Seine, has withdrawn his resignation.

M. Thiers is favourable to public gaming tables in France as a source of revenue.

The rabid Ultramontanism of the new Archbishop of Paris is producing a serious schism among the clergy, of whom Modaine is leader; a large secession is expected.

Three men were executed for the murder of Generals Themas and Lecompte.

Boudien, who comanded the party that fired the Tuileries, is condemued to death.

The proposal of M. Pressense to grant an amnesty to Communist prisoners is under consideration of the Commission; 20,000 have been already discharged without trial.

SPAIN.

A new Cabinet was formed by Segosti with five Unionists, but excluding Topete. The International Society gives trouble.

Two thousand troops have been sent to Cuba, where desultory fighting continues.

ITALY.

The Pope has convened an Œcumenical Council, to meet at Malta or the Tyrol. When it assembles Pius will leave Rome.

Prince Frederick Charles has visited the Pope.

Bismark sent back Count Tauffkerchen to Rome, and is resolved to maintain a firm attitude with the Papal Court, and expresses the displeasure of the Berlin rulers with the clerical agitation in South Germany and Poland, and their resolve to protect State rights and liberty of conscience. Another ground of discord is the lapse of the Concordat in Alsace and Lorraine consequent on their cession.

A public discussion has taken place in Rome between Catholic priests and Protestant ministers as to whether Peter ever visited Rome.

BELGIUM.

The

Lord Mayo; a memorial to the memory of the late Viceroy is now being subscribed for in India.

The Glasgow, with Lady Mayo and suite and the remains of her late husband, left Bombay on the 11th instant, for Suez. The Glasgow will bring back Lord Northbrook, the new Viceroy.

The Loothir expedition against the wild hill tribes has been entirely successful, with little loss.

The Flying Squadron, under Admiral Hornby, is expected in Bombay in a few days.

A grand horse show for India is proposed to be held at Poonah.

BOMBAY, MARCH 11.

Bank bills, 6 months, 21 rupees, and likely to continue. The demand for money is active. Freights dull.

COMMERCIAL.

The exports to Australia for the past four weeks show decline. The aggregate value is £687,700, against £1,060,200 for the previous month, or a decline of £37,255. Two clearances originally included in the tables were finally effected later.

To Victoria the shipments were £301,300; decrease, £161,000. To Sydney, £206,700 decrease, £74,200. To Adelaide, £30,600; decrease, £64,800. To Queensland, an increase of £43,700. To Swan River, a decrease of £31,000. To Tasmania, a decrease of £23,500. To New Zealand, a decrease of £89,600. The aggregate declared value of British exports to the colonies for 1871 was £10,706,700. For the previous year it was £9,975,320.

The are 12 clearances in the supplement circular—5 for Melbourne, 3 for Adelaide, 3 for Otago, 1 for Sydney, and 1 for Queensland.

EXPORTS.

The principal exports to Sydney for the month are—Bar and rod iron, 293 tons; hoop iron, 35 tons; plate iron, 38 tons; pig iron, 180 tons; sheet iron, 16 tons; galvanized iron, 193 tons; wire and wire rope, 180 tons; linseed oil, 7363 gallons; rape oil, 240 gallons; olive oil, nil; woolpacks, £1321; cornsacks, nil; gunpowder, 179 cwt.; tobacco, 42,777 lbs; brandy, 36,025 gallons; rum, 9514 gallons; red wine, 5700 gallons; white wine, 6713 gallons; beer in bulk, 4386 barrels; beer in glass, 510 barrels; white salt, 541 tons; candles British, 1163 cwt.; candles foreign, nil; currants, 987 cwt.; cheese, 16 cwt.; bacon and hams, 26 cwt.; malt, 490 quarters; hops, 10 cwt.; salt fish, £63.

The principal exports to Melbourne for the month are—Bar and rod iron, 484 tons; hoop iron, 19 tons; plate iron, 59 tons; pig iron, 50 tons; sheet iron, 58 tons; galvanized iron, 249 tons; wire and wire rope, 241 tons; linseed oil, 12,216 gallons; rape oil, 466 gallons; olive oil, 599 gallons; woolpacks, £756; cornsacks, £137; gunpowder, 917 cwt.; tobacco, [illegible] lbs.; brandy, 23,331 gallons; rum, 20,775 gallons; red wine, 1877 gallons; white wine, 7372 gallons; beer in bulk, 783 barrels; beer in glass, 611 barrels; white salt, 132 tons; candles, British, 1066 cwt.; candles, foreign, nil; currants, 1943 cwt.; cheese, nil; bacon and hams, nil; malt, 2314 quarters; hops, 209 cwt.; salt fish, £83.

MONEY MARKET.

The panic on the Stock Exchange caused by the Alabama complication has passed away, and a recovery of prices rapidly set in for a short period; but the markets are now sensitive, and little business is being done.

Consols steady, at 92½; bank minimum rate of discount, 3. The discount market has been firm, but the pressure is relaxing. The export of gold has been inconsiderable, and the only foreign loan has been that of the Argentine Republic—one and a quarter million sterling.

New mortgage bonds, banks, financial associations, mining and miscellaneous companies are plentiful.

Mercantile failures are not numerous.

Dividends.—The English, Scottish, and Australian Bank, 12½ per cent. New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency, 12½. English and Australian Copper, 2s. 6d. per share. Australian Agricultural Company, 12s. 6d. per share.

January trade returns show immense expansion, and a large increase in Australian wool imports.

Two new Atlantic cables are projected.

Australian securities firm as annexed:—Victorian sixes, January-July, 113½; ditto, April-October, 114½; ditto fives, January-July, 105; New South Wales fives, 1871-76, January-July, 101½; ditto 1888-1900, January-July, 104. ditto 1872, 98; annual drawings, 102; New Zealand Consolidated fives, 102; ditto sixes, 1891, March-September, 113; ditto sixes, 1891, June-December, 113; Queensland sixes, 1882 to 1885, January-July, 110; ditto, 1891, January-July. 110; South Australian sixes, short date, 110; ditto, long date, 113; Tasmanian sixes, 110½; Hobson's Bay Railway shares, 43; ditto Bonds, sixes, 102; ditto ditto, fives, 94.

WOOL.

The London sales, which opened vigorously on the 8th, have progressed satisfactorily, and prices have continued to advance 2d. to 3½d. per lb. for all descriptions, above previous series of sales. In special instances that rise was exceeded, particularly for parcels of good scoured and full-stapled. The new clip from Port Phillip and Adelaide is in admirable condition. During the last few days competition has been less spirited. 80,000 bales have already passed the hammer. Manufacturers' stocks are light.

TALLOW.—In limited demand, owing to an unusually large home melting. Mutton is 3s. lower, and beef has fallen 2s. 6d. The month's sales were 3609 packages; stock on hand, 9322 packages.

COCOANUT OIL.—Sydney, £33 to £37; sperm, £56?

HIDES in good demand at a slight advance.

LEATHER is in full supply; prices firm.

MIMOSA BARK.—Little offering; sales trifling.

HORNS AND BONES in good request at extreme rates.

NEW ZEALAND FLAX eagerly bought; supplies inadequate.

AUSTRALIAN COTTON—10d. to 11½d.

PETROLEUM, firm, 1s. 6d.

COPPER, £94 to £95 10s.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

FROM MELBOURNE.—City of Paris.

FROM ADELAIDE.—Chasse, Daruta.

FROM BRISBANE.—Cornish, Clodian, Indus.

FROM SWAN RIVER.—Robert Morrison.

FROM NEW ZEALAND.—Coranella.

DEPARTURES.

FOR SYDNEY.—Damascus.

FOR MELBOURNE.—Janet Court, Millwall, Southern Belle, Windsor Castle, Lincolnshire.

FOR ADELAIDE.—East Lothian.

FOR BRISBANE.—Hopeful, Woodville.

FOR NEW ZEALAND.—Sir William Wallace, Wild Deer, and Thames.

LOADING.—For Sydney, 15; Melbourne, 25; Adelaide, 13; Brisbane, 3; Swan River, 1; New Zealand, 10.

SPECIAL TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, FEBRUARY 29.

The national thanksgiving was an unqualified success, and the weather favourable; there was a general holiday, and the crowds unprecedented; numerous casualties occurred. The Prince of Wales was present with the Queen, and bore the fatigue well. The manifestations of loyalty were indescribable: St. Paul's Cathedral was occupied by thirteen thousand persons, and presented a magnificent spectacle. The illuminations were very effective, and the festival decorations covered miles.

The Queen, Prince of Wales, and two children, the Duke of Edinburgh, Princess Beatrice, Princes Arthur and Leopold, were present; the Peers and Commons were separately seated; under the dome were the army and navy; the Mayors were seated in the nave; the greatest enthusiasm prevailed; the streets and houses were profusely decorated; triumphal arches were erected on the line of procession along Pall Mall and Fleet-street. It returned by Holborn and Hyde Park.

The French Imperial family breakfasted with the Queen, witnessing the departure of the cortege from Buckingham Palace.

The Queen presented £1000, and the Prince of Wales £500, towards the Cathedral restoration fund.

The London Corporation's address was presented at Marlborough House yesterday. The Prince of Wales, with emotion, returned his sincere thanks for the national sympathy expressed, and his gratitude to God for his recovery. He suitably acknowledged the public reception accorded to the Queen and Royal family.

The American Government asserts its determination to have the indirect claims submitted to the Geneva Commission.

A deputation proposed that New Caledonia should be sold instead of becoming a convic settlement.

The *Standard* interprets Earl Kimberley's invitation to New South Wales to annex Fiji and encourage its becoming independent, a an evasion of his national duty.

Two thousand cans of condemned Australian meats were seized.

ARRIVED.—Darra, Chaa Sze, Glen Osmond, City of Paris, Norfolk, Indus, Clodion, Corinth.

SAILED.—Goolway, Lincolnshire, Whittington, Asculon, Woodbine.

LONDON, MARCH 8.

The Queen has written a touching letter expressing her deep sense of the reception accorded on Thanksgiving Day to herself and family.

The Queen returned from a diplomatic Court on the 29th February, and is living at Buckingham Palace. She was attacked by George Arthur O'Connor, who presented an unloaded pistol and a petition for the release of the Fenian prisoners. He was overpowered by the attendants. The Queen was unmoved. The prisoner is without an accomplice, and was committed for trial. Public excitement was promptly allayed. The Queen's health is good. She will visit Germany shortly. The Prince of Wales will spend the Spring in the South of Europe.

A baronetcy is conferred on the Mayor, the Right Hon. S. J. Gibbons; and Sheriffs Truscott and Bennett are knighted.

Sir Charles Cowper was presented at Court by Earl Kimberley.

In the Tichborne trial, the claimant was nonsuited, and the next day arrested for perjury. He was taken to Newgate.

Dixon's attack on the Education Act has failed.

Mr. Cardwell's army reorganization scheme is adopted, and the estimate voted.

The Megæra report fixes the chief responsibility upon Sir Spencer Robinson, and blames Mr. Reed, Barnaby, Lord Morgan, and others.

Wool closed flatter, and most descriptions are a penny lower from highest point. 5000 bales were taken for export. The next sale will take place on April 18. Probable stock, 200,000 bales.

The French indemnity, fourth half-milliard was paid under discount.

ARRIVED.—Anna Maria, Miltiades, Dilawur La Hogue.

SAILED.—Furness Abbey, Incholm, Cold ingham, Ann Duthie.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, FEBRUARY 23RD TO MARCH 1ST.

The *New York Herald* says the American members of the Joint Commission are placed in an awkward position by the indirect claims which cannot be well withdrawn. Vice-President Colfax says that neither America nor England dare destroy the treaty of Washington.

Earl Granville reached Washington on the 23rd instant. The American reply was dispatched on 1st March; the reply is firm and courteous, but declines to change the case.

The London *Observer* states that should England repudiate the treaty, America will contend for her rights to fish in Canadian waters, as they are valid, and will act accordingly.

Mrs. Radcliffe was examined in the Tichborne case on the 23rd.

Immense preparations are making for the thanksgiving service.

Mr. Monckton, Conservative, is elected for North Notts, and Mr. Pender (Liberal) for North Boroughs.

The Navy Estimates amount to £9,508,000, being a decrease of £281,807.

The City of London presented an address to the Queen at Windsor on the 24th February.

The Prince of Wales is going to the Italian Lakes.

Further rioting has occurred in Killarney.

The yacht Enchantress leaves for Suez on the 29th, to meet the Glasgow; her state cabin is fitted up as a mortuary chamber for the reception of the body of Earl Mayo.

The Manchester Chamber of Commerce passed a resolution to present an address of condolence and sympathy to Lady Mayo.

A youthful Irishman, named O'Connor, apparently deranged,—a clerk in the Borough, claiming relationship with Fergus O'Connor,—climbed the rails outside Buckingham Palace, passed the gatekeeper, and presented a pistol unloaded, with a broken lock, in one hand, and a petition for the release of the Fenians in the other, as the Queen was preparing to alight from her carriage; the equerries instantly seized and gave him into custody; the Queen showed no fear, and merely leant back in her carriage. O'Connor was examined at Bow-street on the 2nd; Prince Leopold and John Brown were witnesses. He was committed for trial; great indignation was felt at the act, and official bulletins and telegrams were issued to prevent exaggerated reports.

Prussia accepts payment of the balance of a fourth half-milliard of the indemnity still due at five per cent discount advance.

L'Etoile, a Buonapartist journal, is suppressed.

OBITUARY.—General Lane.

MARCH 2ND TO 10TH.

Mr. Russell Gurney is expected in England on 20th, and returns to America in order to complete the labours of the commission.

The Queen returned to Windsor on the 2nd.

M. Tournier is appointed French Ambassador to Italy; the appointment is disapproved of by the Catholic party.

The Queen has written a letter to Mr. Gladstone expressing her Majesty's deep appreciation of the reception accorded to herself and her dear children by millions of her loyal subjects. Her words are too weak to express how touched and gratified her Majesty and family were.

All the Washington correspondence, and the American Press, concur in the opinion that the tone of the American reply is eminently pacific. The *New York World* says the American interpretation of the treaty has completely broken down.

The Tichborne trial stopped on the 5th of March. At the request of Mr. Ballantyne it was adjourned for one day, when a nonsuit was accepted. After a consultation with Mr. Giffard, Justice Bovill ordered the plaintiff to be taken into custody for perjury, and his detention at Newgate till next session of the Criminal Court, unless bail of £5000 was offered. The Government has undertaken the prosecution of prisoner, who was unbailed up to the 10th.

The Magistrate at Southwark Police Court commenced, on the 6th, an investigation of an extraordinary libel case, affecting the moral character of Lady Travers Twiss before marriage.

O'Connor's outrage is unconnected with any Fenian outrage.

Mr. Mounsell, in replying to Sir J. Pakington, said that the Indian Government are likely to accept a proposal to extend the money-order system to India.

The House of Commons is discussing a motion to reduce the Army by 20,000 men.

The report of the Megæra Commission has been presented to Parliament.

The Prince and Princess of Wales have gone to the Continent.

Mr. Gladstone detailed to the House of Commons his arrangements for education.

King Theodore's son is at Cheltenham.

On March 7th the reserve of notes in the Bank of England was £12,875,000; bills discounted, £22,000,000; bullion, £23,375,000.

Consols for account, 93.

OBITUARY.—Generals Thomas Ashburnham and Marcus Slade.

MARCH 12.

The army estimates were decreased in the Commons; an amendment was proposed by Mr. Holmes for reducing it by 20,000 men, and another by Mr. Munsell to 10,000. Both were rejected.

The Prince of Wales has visited the Assembly at Versailles.

Mazzini is dead.

MARCH 13.

It is feared that disturbances will break out in Spain in consequence of the coalition of the radical Carlists against the Government.

America's reply to Earl Granville's note has arrived.

The Erie railway ring has been broken.

The Queen visits Germany on March 20.

The defendant in the Travers Swiss case has been committed for trial.

The Conservatives have elected Mr. Wallingford for East Gloucestershire.

Sir C. Dilke's motion regarding the Civil list is fixed for Tuesday. He asks for full returns of the income and expenditure.

MARCH 14.

Several witnesses prove the Tichborne claimant to be Arthur Orton. The Judge has refused the offered bail and will consent to prosecution to-day.

The English Ministry are considering the American reply to Earl Granville's note.

Thiers has given notice of the termination of the commercial treaty.

MERCANTILE AND MONEY ARTICLE.

SATURDAY EVENING.

THE Customs' duties received to-day were as follows:—

Spirits	£653 18 11
Wine (still)	61 9 6
Tobacco and snuff	93 5 0
Tea	73 14 3
Coffee and chicory	28 0 0
Sugar (unrefined)	40 0 0
Ad valorem duty	30 6 0
Specific duty	230 14 8
Tonnage	42 6 0
Total	£1396 17 4

The Tweed has cleared for London with one of the largest cargoes that ever left this port, the principal shipments being 3935 bales 1 pocket wool, 641 casks tallow, 129 packages butter, 74 cases gum, 14 casks beeswax, 99 bales leather, 1100 bags flour, 13 bales glue pieces, 144 bales cotton, 51 hogsheads 308 casks molasses, 2934 hides, 153 cases preserved meats, 20 bales pelts, 517 cakes 8079 ingots copper, 211 bags ore, 1091 bags and a quantity of copra in bulk.

The share list of the proposed Queensland National Bank closed at noon to-day, with applications for 59,152 shares. The number reserved for allotment here is 12,500.

The branch mail steamer Alexandra reached Adelaide this afternoon in advance of contract time, and the Bangalore mail may be expected here early on Wednesday. Her advices by telegram are to the 14th ultimo. In consequence of the early departure of the mail from Galle, our special commercial telegram has not come to hand, and the only items later than the date upon which the mail left England are—Wool closed flatter, and most descriptions are a penny lower from highest price realized during the February series. 5000 bales were taken for export. The next sale will take place on April 18. Probable stock, 200,000 bales.

Consols, 93.

The following is from the commercial summary of February 23:—"The exports for the month show a decrease in the agregate, those to Sydney being £74,000 less than for the four weeks ending January 12. The following dividends have been declared:—English and Scottish Bank, 12½ per cent.; New Zealand Land and Mining Agency, 12½ per cent.; English and Australian Copper, 2s. 6d. per share; A. A. Company, 12s. 6d. per share. Australian securities firm; New South Wales five per cents, 101½ to 104; Victorian, 105; ditto, sixes, 113½ to 114½; New Zealand Consolidated, 102; ditto sixes, 113; Queensland sixes, 110; South Australian, 110 to 113; Tasmanian, 110½. Discount market firm; minimum rate 3 per cent.

The wool sales opened vigorously on the 8th, and progressed satisfactorily, with an advance of 2½d. to 3½d. on all descriptions. In special instances, such as good scoured and full-stapled lots, the advance was even greater. Just prior to the mail leaving competition was less spirited; 80,000 bales had then passed the hammer, and manufacturers' stocks were light. Mutton tallow, 3s. lower; beef, 2s. 6d. Cocoanut oil, £33 to £37. Sperm is quoted at £56, but this will probably prove a telegraphic error, as by last month's mail it was worth £96, with a light stock. Hides in demand at a slight advance. Supplies of leather full, prices firm; very little mimosa bark offering. Horns and shankbones selling at extreme rates, and New Zealand flax purchased eagerly. Australian cotton, 10d. to 11½d. Copper, £95 to £96.

The Adelaide *Observer* of the 30th ultimo reports of the markets:—

BREADSTUFFS.—Wheat has continued firm, and sales have been made daily at 5s 5½d. A considerable parcel of old grain has changed hands at 5s 6d. During the last two days the market has been quietER, but prices remain steady. Flour has been dull, the only transactions being in some country brands at £12 to £12 5s. We quote wheat in parcel (1000 bushels or upwards) at 5s 5½d to 5s 6d; drayloads, 5s 2d to 5s 3d. Flour—Town brands, £12 10s to £13; country, £12 to £12 5s. Bran has been disposed of at 9d, f.o.b.; pollard, 10d to 11d; Cape barley, 2s 2d to 2s 3d. Import Market: There has been more activity, and there is decidedly a better tone. Hennessy's brandy has been quitted at 20s 6d. Soda crystals in quantity have been moved off at £8. Coleman's No. 1 starch has gone at 4½d. Bottled ale is in better demand, the stocks of first-class brands being small. Malt in quantity has been sold at 5d. The following sales of sugar will show the tendency of that market:—On Wednesday morning, Messrs. Solomon and Salom sold by auction, at their mart, part of the balance of the Sarah's cargo, consisting of the following lines—500 bags fine yellow crystal, at £36 5s; light yellow brewing crystal, £37 10s; good white crystal, £37 10s. On Thursday, March 28, the same firm offered at auction the cargo of sugars ex Englebert, from Port Louis. There was a large attendance of the trade, and about 3800 bags were disposed of at the following prices:—Finest light yellow counter, £32 5s to £33 7s 6d; fine white counter crystal, £36 10s; light straw-colour ditto, £36 to £36 6s; good yellow brewing ditto, £35 5s; finest free-grain white counter, £36 17s; extra choice light ditto, £35 15s; finest yellow brewing crystal, £34 15s to £34 17s 6d; choice grainy yellow counter, £34 16s; bold yellow brewing crystal, £33 17s 6d, small grain white counter, £37; choice straw-coloured counter, £34 10s to £36; good light crystal, £36 15s; extra fine snowdrop, £38; fine yellow crystal, £34 10s; golden grain crystal, £35 2s 6d; fine grainy yellow counter, £34 5s; choice white snowdrop, £39; and choice grainy yellow counter, £34 15s.

MINING.

MR. Bingham reports very rich stone to hand from the Great Wheel of Fortune; also, that a rich vein has been struck 300 feet still more easterly of the Wheel of Fortune, showing payable gold.

THE RISING STAR, TAMBAROORA.—Val. Herrmann, the manager, continues to report most favourably. He is sinking his two shafts with more ease than was expected, and seems confident to strike upon payable gold before another month is over.

THE TAMBAROORA AND LOUISA UNITED—(BLACKFELLOWS).—The main shaft has already been brought into perfect condition, and cross driving for the reef has commenced. Payable stone is being raised, and but for the absence yet of a mill, crushing could be commenced within this month.

THE CHINOLINE, CHAMBERS CREEK.—This mine has fifty tons of good stone on grass.

THE MINING MANIA.

(*From the Pall Mall Gazette.*)

BY the law of Stock Exchange storms, the city is devastated decennially; consequently our next panic should be looked for in 1876. But after the cyclone of 1866, which confounded the flimsy and substantial in a common destruction, we hoped that the inevitable disaster might be deferred. The hope was premature, we fear. Yet the lull lasted so long that it was natural to suppose speculation had sobered. There was reason to believe that for one decade it might confine itself within rational limits; that the experience purchased with so much money and misery might bear lasting fruit. But already promoters and professional wreckers are hard at work; nor could they work as they do if the public did not play into their hands. And, after all the ruin wrought by the last crisis, the public is as worth the plucking as ever. The financial returns show a growth of national prosperity which has stultified the calculations of the Chancellor of the Exchequer. After deducting windfalls, the revenue of the last nine months shows an advance of a clear million and a quarter on the corresponding period of last year. The nation is likely to have plenty of spare money to invest, and—vide prospectuses passim—there is no lack of alluring investment. After 1866 capital was thoroughly cowed. It seemed as if for the future it would seek refuge in such securities as the stocking of the Irish peasant. People bought timidly into Consols, and would have looked askance at an issue of Bank of England Stock. Within a year or so, men of enterprise came forward apologetically and with such assured schemes as telegraphs in shallow seas between great commercial centres. The names of the directors sounded unimpeachable even to those who had suffered with the stranded leviathans of 1866. A timorous sheep or two was prevailed upon to make a scramble rather than a leap into pastures that plainly were the safest and fattest of feeding. The way shown, and the gap once made, others of course began gradually to file in, and the gentle movement grew to a rush. Now the hedge is down that divides discretion from insanity, and the flock is scattering itself with characteristic stupidity among wolves and pitfalls.

The new schemes promoted during the year 1871 involve thirty-five and a half millions of capital. The first issue, or the amounts offered for subscription, actually engulph eight and twenty millions; the deposits on allotment come to nine millions and a quarter. All this, it is to be observed, is entirely distinct from the capital invited by undertakings already afloat, or from the vast sums advanced to foreign Governments. Pretty well for a beginning, it must be confessed, after the nearly absolute stagnation that prevailed for so long. And it is to be observed that company-making goes on at an accelerated pace. The schemes of the first half of the year bear no relation to those of the second. We could say a good deal about the list in general, but confine the rest of our remarks to one special form of speculation.

The department of foreign mines, if it is not an entirely novel feature, has suddenly developed itself into extraordinary importance. The year 1871 shows a total of seventy-nine new mining companies. By far the greater number of these are to operate in foreign fields, and their aggregate capital amounts to nine millions. It is no new discovery which has directed our enterprise in that direction, nor has attention been suddenly surprised to it. No fresh gold-fields have been found to compete even remotely with California or Australia, and ever since the days of Elizabeth and Raleigh English adventurers have "prospected" in distant El Dorados. There is one obvious explation of the phenomenon. Foreign mines are in fashion now because they have been habitually discredited before. It may be that they have been discredited unreasonably. But what is certain is that in no form of investment are the blanks so many and the prizes so few; though it must be admitted that the prizes, when they do fall in, are sometimes very great. Foreign mines recommended themselves to promoters for many reasons. To begin with, comparatively few Englishmen had been ruined in that particular way. The man who had had to pay heavy calls on the share of some bubble bank foreswore for a lifetime the sound and flourishing establishments whose stock was most unreasonably depressed; but, recovering from the smart of his sufferings, avarice and disgust conspire to make him despise the paltry profits of Consols. Eager to make up for the lean years by some fat ones, casting about for a large and legitimate return on his money, he chances to see a mining prospectus. His common-sense starts at the great dividends it promises, and yet it reads rationally enough. Fascinated in spite of the whispered remonstrances of prudence, he ventures a trifle by way of feeler. He can afford to lose that small stake, he says so himself. So he can perhaps; but in mining, as in other forms of gaming, it is the first hesitating step that costs. If you win, you back your luck; if you lose, you bully it. We believe the men who are shareholders in one mine only are few indeed. In fact, the authors of the seductive invitations that stuff the letter-box of the man who has "gone into mines" invariably counsel you as matter of simple prudence to distribute your eggs in a variety of baskets. You do distribute your eggs. You find that as as a rule all your eggs are packed in the same careless fashion, in the same flimsily woven baskets, to be carried along the same perilous paths by the same treacherous hands. For the worst is, you are not the bearer of your own basket. You trust it to some one else, and by sad fatality the trustees charged with your interests are frequently the victims of accidents over which they have no control. We are far from saying you may not light on one of the prizes. Foreign mines have proved as profitable in their degree as Devon Great Consols. But a great deal may be urged to show that, besides inherent uncertainties, the chances are to your disadvantage. If your operations are to be conducted in a settled country—Australia or the United States, for example—consider what are the probabilities of the astute natives letting good things go a-begging in distant markets. There are gold-mines regularly worked in Australia that have proved enormously lucrative. But these, as a rule, are worked on the co-operative system by investors who dig on their own account. Practical science is brought to bear.

THE GENEVA ARBITRATION.

THE *New York World* has a long paper upon the subject of the arbitration under the Treaty of Washington. An account of the five arbitrators is first given. As regards Lord Chief Justice Cockburn, an extract is made from a speech of the late Mr. Serjeant Shee, on proposing the health of the Lord Chief Justice, as a toast, when presiding at the anniversary festival of the United Law Clerks' Society:—

"'We like him because we know that his distinction was achieved by no backstairs influence, by no political intrigue, by no political subservience. We like him because we know that he did not arrive at the high position which he now occupies without having first obtained, solely by his own endowments and superior talents, the highest position at the Bar. We like him because we know that not merely the honour of the profession, but the honour and character of every man who comes before him are safe in his hands. We like and admire him because we observe every day that the command which he possesses of all the treasures and all the beauties of our noble language enables him, whenever there is occasion for it, to refute whatever fallacies and sophistries are put forward before him at the bar, and to vindicate at the close of every cause the innocence that belongs to those who are tried. But, most of all, we like him, we respect him, we love him for this—because, whenever he has occasion to reprove or rebuke—and no man in his position can be without having some occasion to reprove and to rebuke—he takes care always to temper authority with gentleness, and to rebuke without giving pain.'

"The gentleman named by President Grant is the well-known Mr. Charles Francis Adams, who discharged so well the difficult and delicate duties of American Ambassador in London during the great civil struggle on this continent. His name and lineage are too well known to be dwelt upon.

"The arbitrator named by his Majesty the King of Italy is Count Solopis, an eminent jurist, who was for many years a distinguished member of the Italian Senate, over which he presided.

"The arbitrator named by the President of the Swiss Confederation is Mr. Jacob Estampfli, an able statesman of Switzerland, who has been a prominent member of its National Council, and for a long time of the Federal Council, and three times chosen to be President of the Confederation. When named to be arbitrator he was President of the Federal Bank.

"The arbitrator named by his Majesty the Emperor of Brazil is the Baron de Itajuba, who is at this moment the Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Brazil at Paris. He has been a Professor of Law, the Consul-General to Hamburg, and in 1852 Minister Plenipotentiary of his country to Prussia. He was transferred to Paris in that capacity in 1867, where he has since been. Before his appointment in 1867 as Minister to Paris, he bore the name of Marcos Antonio de Araujo, and as such secured his reputation as a jurist."

The *World* proceeds to describe the "case" of the United States as a volume of 500 pages, printed in English, French, and Portuguese, and adds the following account of seven large octavo volumes which accompany the "case:"—

"The first of these seven volumes consists of correspondence on recognition of rebel belligerency and enforcement of neutrality. The second contains the correspondence respecting rebel operations in Canada, the vessels Vesuvius, Amphion, Hawk, Ajax, and Hercules, the Virginia, Pampero, Phantom, and Southerner, Alexandra, Laird's ironclads, Sumter, Nashville, Florida, Georgia, and Rappahannock; also, alleged recruiting by the United States in Ireland. The third volume contains the important correspondence respecting the Alabama, the Tallahassee, and Shenandoah, and also negotiations concerning claims. The fourth volume contains proclamations and declarations of Powers other than Great Britain, issued subsequently to the Queen's Proclamation of neutrality; a paper on 'Hasty Recognition of Rebel Belligerency,' by George Bemis; the case of the barque Maury, arrested by the Federal Government in New York, in 1855, during the Crimean War, on the complaint of the Russian Government; the correspondence in 1854 between the Governments of Great Britain, France, and the United States respecting the rights accorded to neutrals and claimed by belligerents; a report of the British Neutrality Laws Commissioners of 1867; the private journal of an officer of the Alabama; the letters of 'Historicus,' printed in the London *Times*; correspondence showing why Confederate cruisers burned their prizes, and a report of the engagement between the Kearsage and the Alabama; correspondence between the British Government and Messrs. Laird, Brothers, respecting the ironclads built at Birkenhead. The fifth volume contains the record of important Parliamentary and judicial events in Great Britain growing out of the rebellion, including reports of criminal trials. The sixth volume contains correspondence on the part of the United States relative to the Alabama claims subsequent to the rejection of the Johnson-Clarendon Convention; correspondence preliminary to the negotiation of the Treaty of Washington, signed on the 8th of May, 1871, and documents relating to that Treaty; correspondence between the two Governments, establishing that, during our rebellion, Great Britain was the arsenal, the navy-yard, and the treasury of the insurgents; also, a re-arrangement of the correspondence contained in previous volumes respecting the eight chief Confederate cruisers. The seventh volume contains the British Foreign Enlistment Act of August the 9th, 1870; a history of the neutrality laws of the United States, by Richard H. Dana, jun.; neutrality proclamations of President Grant of August the 22nd and October the 8th, 1870; the neutrality regulations of the Government of Brazil, from 1854 to August the 29th, 1870. There is also in this volume a very important document, now made public for the first time, in the shape of a communication from Mr. Robeson, Secretary of the Navy, stating the expense incurred by the Navy Department during the rebellion in fitting and sending out vessels of war to cruise for the Alabama, Florida, Tallahassee, Rappahannock, and other Anglo-Confederate privateers, and to protect our commerce from depredations, together with the value of two merchant vessels with their cargoes captured by the Florida and tender while conveying coal under charge of the Naval Department to our naval stations. The grand total of these Navy Department expenses is set down at 7,080,478 dollars 70 cents. In the same volume is a list of private claims filed with the Department of State, growing out of acts committed by the several vessels which have given rise to the claims generally known as the Alabama claims. The amount of these is estimated to be about 14 millions. In addition there is a statement from the Treasury Department of the value of vessels in the marine cutter service destroyed by the rebel cruiser Florida."

The "case" of the United States, we are told, was prepared in the Department of State, and copies of it were sent to eminent publicists throughout the country for suggestions and emendations. The *World* gives the following account of the claims to be submitted by the "agent" of the United States:—

"The items of our demand are, among others, compensation for damages inflicted on individuals by the destruction of their vessels and cargoes; for destruction of vessels and property of the Government of the United States; for damages to individual sailors and officers on board those vessels; public expenditures in the pursuit of the cruisers; losses to the United States occasioned by the necessary transfer of our commercial marine to the British flag; damages to individuals by necessity or payment of increased rates of insurance; and damages by a prolongation of the rebellion, growing out of acts of the Anglo-Confederate cruisers. And these damages and losses are generally capable of division into two classes—direct and indirect."

The *World* goes on to notice the three rules which are to guide the arbitrators, and which set forth the obligation of a neutral Government to use due diligence to prevent the fitting out within its jurisdiction of any vessel which it has reasonable ground to believe is intended to cruise or carry on war against a Power with which it is at peace, and to use like diligence to prevent the departure of any vessel intended for the purpose, and specially adapted, in whole or in part, within such jurisdiction, to warlike use; not to suffer a belligerent to make use of its ports as the base of naval operations, &c.; and to exercise due diligence in its own waters, and as to all persons within its jurisdiction, to prevent any violation of the foregoing obligations:—

"The award must be in writing, dated and signed by the arbitrators, 'who may assent to it.' There are, it will be seen in the Treaty, important directions and restrictions in respect to the mode in which the arbitrators are to arrive at their award and express it. They must first determine 'as to each vessel separately,' whether Great Britain has, by any act or omission, failed to fulfil any of the duties as stated in the three rules, or any of the duties recognized by international law not inconsistent with such rules, and then certify 'such fact' as to each of the said vessels. For illustration: The arbitrators must take up the case of the Alabama or Shenandoah or Florida separately, and decide as to each particular vessel. The seventh article provides that in case the arbitration find that Great Britain has failed to fulfil any duty, or duties, so as to inculpate one or more of the cruisers, then the arbitrators may, if they think proper, proceed to award a 'sum in gross' to be paid to the United States 'in coin for all the claims referred to it.' It is in Boston believed to have been the desire of the Administration, as well as the Melbourne Commissioners, that Great Britain should pay to this Government such gross sum, or a sum in lump, in full settlement of all claims for losses, direct and indirect, and leave to it the proper distribution of the fund as between itself and its own citizens. It will be observed that the seventh article does not command the arbitrators to award a sum in gross, but says they 'may' so award. If a sum in lump shall be decreed by the arbitrators, that is the end of the matter."

On the question of "due diligence" and "reasonable ground to believe," the *World's* correspondent remarks:—

"The Courts of the United States have held that 'reasonable cause' must be understood to mean the same as probable cause. 'Probable cause,' said Chief Justice Marshall, on behalf of the Supreme Court of the United States, 'does not mean *prima facie* evidence, as evidence which in the absence of exculpatory proof would justify condemnation. It means less than evidence which would justify condemnation. It imports a seizure made under circumstances which warrant suspicion—this is its legal sense.' Again he says, in another case, 'A doubt as to the true construction of the law is as reasonable cause for seizure as a doubt respecting the fact.' In our own jurisprudence, therefore, the phrase 'reasonable ground to believe' is the same as a reasonable ground of suspicion. What evidence, then, will the arbitrators say ought to be sufficient to afford a neutral Government such reasonable ground of suspicion in respect to a vessel?

"This is an inquiry which, it will be seen, applies not only to vessels, but also to bodies of people contemplating a military foray into a neighbouring country. What evidence of suspicion, for example, would be sufficient to make it our right and duty to exercise 'due diligence' in respect to a Fenian invasion of Canada? This is an inquiry in respect to which all Governments are interested in securing a correct standard; and, since a majority of the arbitrators are to control, this standard can be erected in defiance of ourselves and Great Britain.

"There will inevitably come inquiry and argument before the arbitrators not only as to the quality, but quantity of the evidence which is to raise reasonable suspicion on the part of a neutral. Is the mere assertion of the diplomatic representative or the consular agent of a belligerent Power in a neutral country to be considered sufficient? Or must it be accompanied by affidavits, and if so, then must they be sufficient legally to establish the act alleged?

"After a measure and standard of 'reasonable ground to believe' has been established, then the arbitrators are to determine what is 'due diligence' to prevent the fitting out, arming, or equipping within its jurisdiction, or departure therefrom, of a vessel about which there is 'reasonable ground to believe.' When the Alabama Treaty was under discussion in the House of Lords this point was much considered. Lord Granville said:—'The obligation to use due diligence implies that the Government will do all in its power to prevent certain things.' Lord Cairns said:—'Due diligence by itself means nothing. What is due diligence with one man with one power is not due diligence with another man with a greater power.' According to this theory, the arbitrators must determine what is 'due diligence' for a Power so great as England; and her counsel will hardly deny the greatness of their Government, or that it should be held to less diligence as against the Southern rebellion than the United States would be required to employ as against the Cuban insurrection and in favour of Spain. Sir Roundell Palmer, who is the counsel of Great Britain before the arbitrators, said in a subsequent debate in the House of Commons, that he supposed 'due diligence meant that a neutral should use, within a reasonable sense, all the means legitimately in its power.' It will be observed that the phrase is not simply 'diligence,' but 'due diligence,' which we suppose must be taken to mean diligence commensurate with the magnitude of the results of negligence."

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AUCTION SALES.

ANNUAL YEARLING SALE.

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at his Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, the 8th April, 1872, at 11 o'clock,
The following yearling thoroughbred colts and fillies, the property of
EDWARD KING COX, Esq., FERNHILL.
No. 1. A BAY COLT (foaled November 11, 1870), by Yattendon from Days of Old (imported), by Irish Birdcatcher from Days of Yore, by Old England. This colt is own brother to Patriarch, half-brother to Rose of Australia, and is engaged in both Produce Stakes of the A. J. C.
2. A BROWN COLT (foaled August 25, 1870), by Yattendon from Miss Pitsford, by Pitsford (imported) from Esperance, by Glaucus. This colt is half brother to Challenger; and engaged in both Produce Stakes.
3. A BAY COLT (foaled September 5, 1870), by Yattendon from Ellen Tree, by Jersey from Mirror (imported), by Sir Hercules from Prism, by Camel. This colt combines speed and stoutness on the side of sire and dam; and he is engaged in both Produce Stakes.
4. A BAY COLT (foaled August 17, 1870), by Yattendon from Gazelle, by Magus from Atalanta, by Reprieve from Sanga's Queen, by Sanga (imported). Engaged in the Mares' Produce Stakes.
5. A BROWN COLT (foaled November 13, 1870), by Yattendon from Petrel, by Cossack from Hebe (dam of Loup Garou), by Magus from Laila Rookh, by Satellite from imported Lorina, by Smolensko. The union of the Sir Hercules strains through Yattendon and Cossack is likely to form a remarkably good one for racing purposes. Engaged in both Produce Stakes.
6. A BLACK FILLY (foaled October 17, 1870), by Yattendon from Zingara, by Il Barbiere from Gipsy (bred by the late Mr. C. Smith). Zingara was the best mare of her time was the dam of Dundee and Zouave; and is engaged in both Produce Stakes.
7. A BROWN FILLY (foaled September 26, 1870), by Yattendon from Reflection (dam of Whalebone, &c.), by Lugar (imported) from Mirror (imported). Engaged in both Produce Stakes.
8. A BAY FILLY (foaled September 12, 1870), by Yattendon from Ladybird, by Bolardo from imported Mirror. Engaged in both Produce Stakes.
9. A BAY FILLY (foaled September 17, 1870), by Lord of Linne (sire of Whalebone and Loup Garou), from Busyfoot, by Topsail from Quickstep (Nimblefoot's dam). Engaged in both Produce Stakes.
10. A BAY FILLY (foaled August 25, 1870), by Lord of Linne from Hebe, by Magus from Laila Rookh. This filly is own sister to Loup Garou.
11. A DARK BROWN FILLY, 2 years old, by Yattendon from Elsieler, by Comrade from Emily, by Operator from Flora M'Ivor, by Emigrant.
The yearlings in the above lot have been well cared for, in the usual style of the Fernhill Stud. They comprise the most fashionable strains of racing blood, are well grown, showing plenty of size with good points, and will compare favourably with any previous lot that has been offered. Yattendon, from present appearances, promises to be one of the leading sires in Australia.

FOR P. CULLEN, Esq.
12. A BLACK COLT (foaled 16th November, 1870) by Lord of the Hills (imported) from Veronica, by imported Steppingstone from Verbena, by Snake from Victoria by imported Dover from Selina by Tom (imported); Lord of the Hills by Touchstone.

FOR JOHN ALFORD, Esq., JUN., MARYVILLE.
13. BAY COLT (foaled 17th October, 1870) by Mail Train (imported) from Maid of Orleans, by New Warrior, from Welcome by imported Tross.

FOR A. THOMPSON, Esq.
14. A BAY COLT (foaled September 26th, 1870) by Kingston from Graceful by Sir Hercules. Engaged in both Produce Stakes.

ILLAWARRA ALARM.

GEORGE KISS has been instructed to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
"Illawarra," chesnut gelding, 6 years, the winner of several races
"Alarm," chesnut entire, 5 years.
Fuller particulars at sale.

Thoroughbred Filly.

GEORGE KISS has been instructed by Mr. Bell to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
A handsome bay filly by Millionaire, from Mountain Maid, &c., perfectly broken to saddle.

Thoroughbred Colt.

GEORGE KISS has been instructed to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
A bay colt, foaled 22nd December, 1869, by Volunteer from Fleetwing, by Rockwood from Creeping Kate, by Blucher.

LOTTERY.

GEORGE KISS has been instructed by S. H. Terry, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
LOTTERY, 5 years, by New Warrior, from Item (the dam of Falcon). He ran a dead heat with Sir William, and also with the Baron, and won the Trial stakes, beating Pyrrhus, the Maiden Plate, Homebush; beating the Count, and several races at Illawarra.

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GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
INDEX, bay gelding, 5 years, by Ruston, &c. He won the Flying Handicap at Randwick, 2 handicaps at Penrith, and one at Grafton.

Little Dick
Croydon
Endeavour
Loup Garou.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from W. Winch, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, 8th April, at 12 o'clock,
The above.
This is a rare opportunity for parties in want of first-class horses, as they are for positive sale.

At Camperdown, THIS DAY.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Messrs. Duff, Brothers, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, 8th April, at 3 o'clock,
26 head of fresh young horses. These are all quietly broken, and are described as of a very useful stamp with plenty of style, and in good condition.

Kiama Horses.

GEORGE KISS has been instructed by G. K. Waldron, Esq., of Kiama, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, at 11 o'clock,
8 head of first-class horses, well adapted for carriage and draught purposes.

South Country Horses.

GEORGE KISS has been instructed by Messrs. Stinson and Byrnes to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, the 9th April, at 2 o'clock,
40 head of very stylish horses, broken to saddle and light harness; also, some very useful heavy draught stock.
The hackneys and light harness horses are by the well-known sires Lord Palmerston, Euclid, and Reviewer; the draught stock by Atlas.
Amongst the above will be found some fast trotting harness horses and clever hackneys.

S. WOOLLER sells by auction, at his Sale Yard, Pitt-street (late Martyn's), THIS DAY.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from E. Vickery, Esq., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, the 8th instant, at his Homebush Yards, at half-past 9 o'clock,
1800 prime fat wethers, in lots. Very superior and fully 60 lbs.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from James Heane, Esq., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, the 8th instant, at his Homebush Yards, at half-past 9 o'clock,
1088 prime fat wethers,—in lots,—per train from Wallerawang.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from Richard Weaver, Esq., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, the 8th instant, at his Homebush Yards, at half-past 9 o'clock,
1407 prime fat wethers, in lots, from his noted station Rickerbil.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from Andrew Town, Esq., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, the 8th instant, at his Homebush Yards, at half-past 9 o'clock,
200 prime fat cattle, in lots, from his noted Milkingowrie station.

G. M. PITT has received instructions from John M'Kay, Esq., to sell by auction THIS DAY, the 8th instant, at his Homebush Yards, at half-past 9 o'clock,
130 prime fat cattle—in lots.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by P. H. Osborne, Esq., to sell by auction, at the New Central Yards, Homebush, on THURSDAY, 11th April, at half-past 9 o'clock,
1000 prime fat wethers, represented very prime.

S. PHILLIPS and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 99, King-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, Gold and silver hunting lever watches, jewellery, revolvers, guns, clothing, and sundries.

THIS DAY, 8th April, at 11 o'clock.
At the Auction Mart, corner of Pitt and Park streets.
Under a Bill of Sale.
Chests of Drawers, Cottage Pianoforte, Pier Glasses 50 x 40, Glass Cases, Sideboards, Horsehair Sofas, Chairs, Washstands, Chiffoniers, Couches, Tables, Loo Tables, Safes, Bedsteads, Bedding, China, Glass, Crockery, Kitchen Utensils, &c., &c.
Also,
Long Ladders, Boards, Timber Rack; 10 cwt of Bolts and Nuts, assorted sizes; Galvanic Battery; Dray, Horse, and Cart; 4-wheeled Carriage, Counter with metal top, large Cedar Counter, Butcher's Blocks, Salting Tables, Scales, Weights, Trays, Hooks, Casks, &c., &c.

MR. H. D. COCKBURN has been instructed to sell by auction,
The above.
Terms, cash.

Labour Bazaar Auction Mart, Pitt-street.

Superior Household Furniture and Effects, viz., Horsehair, Couch and Chairs, Chiffoniere, Loo, Telescope, and other Tables, Pier Glasses, Chests of Drawers, Iron and Wood Bedsteads, Bedding, Toilet Glasses, Washstands, Crockery and Glassware, &c. Also, Cart, Plough, 'Bus, Harness, Lathe, Leather Press, Bench, Shop Fixtures, Stoves, Grates, Chaff-cutters, Mangles, Billiard-bagatelle Table (slate bottom).

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, at the Mart, Pitt-street,
The above.

MONDAY'S Regular Sale.

MEADOWCROFT and CO. will sell by auction, at their Mart, Park and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, at 11,
Chests drawers, chiffoniere, sofas, couches, safes, tables, chairs, bedsteads and bedding, washstands and ware, glass, crockery, kitchen utensils, and sundries.
No reserve.—Terms, cash.

At the Bank Auction Rooms, 336, George-street.
WEDNESDAY, 10th instant, at 11.

HENRY MOON will sell by auction, New and second-hand furniture, fancy goods, jewellery, pictures, glass and earthenware, crockery, and sundries.
N.B.—Cash advanced on goods for prompt sale.

TUESDAY, April 9th.
Under Distraint for Rent.
On the Premises, Denison-street, Woollahra.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

ALFRED CHANDLER and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, on the premises, as above, on TUESDAY, April 9th, at 10 o'clock,
The whole of the household furniture and effects.
Without reserve.

Boots and Shoes. Boots and Shoes.
Postponed in consequence of the goods not being all landed.
On TUESDAY, 9th April.
Ex Duke of Athol.

MR. M. MOLONY has received instructions from the importers, Messrs. SCOTT, HENDERSON, and CO., to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 239, George-street, on TUESDAY next, 9th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
172 packages boots and shoes,
Joseph's manufacture.
Also,
84 packages, from various first-class manufacturers.
Terms at sale.

LARGE UNRESERVED CLEARING SALE
of
GROCERIES, OILMEN'S STORES
DRIED FRUITS
SPERM CANDLES
and
PROVISIONS.
In consequence of Expiration of Lease and Retirement from Business.
On the Premises, 93, York-street,
under instructions from
Mr. JOHN HUGHES.

. This EXTENSIVE STOCK embraces nearly every line known to the Trade, is well assorted, and the Goods are of first-class descriptions and quality.
☞ EVERY LINE WILL BE CLEARED OUT WITHOUT RESERVE, as the Lease expires in a few days.

Important to Town and Country Grocers, Storekeepers, Exporters, Traders, and others.

Such an opportunity for sorting-up stocks is seldom afforded; and buyers should avail themselves of it, as Mr. Hughes's selections of goods are known to be of
FIRST-CLASS DESCRIPTIONS.

R. F. STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, on the premises, 93, York-street, WEDNESDAY, April 10, at 11 o'clock (in consequence of expiration of lease and Mr. John Hughes's retirement from business),
The whole of his extensive and well-assorted stock, comprising—
Currants, Colman's light blue, white starch, blue starch, bottled fruits
Colman's corn flour, Epps's cocoa, Taylor's cocoa, Patna rice, bleached ginger, Colman's mustard, Morton's and Whybrow's salad oil
Robinson's patent groats, kippered herrings, De Roubaix Jensr's candles, ½-pint capers, stored salt
Elemé raisins, sardines, in ¼ and ½; black pepper
Candied peel, baking powder, Brandon's candles
Figs, Cheddar cheese, wine corks, jar salt
Morton's 1lb. salmon, confectionery, candied peel, gelatine, York hams, curry powder, night lights
Carraway seed, mixed spice, Scotch oatmeal
Walnuts, French olives, &c.
Also,
1 Milner's large fireproof safe
Office desks, copying press
Store trucks, &c.

Full particulars in catalogues.
Terms at sale.

Groceries, Oilmen's Stores
Provisions, Teas, Hops
Wines, Spirits, and Beers.

LOUIS COHEN and CO. have been instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, No. 11, Wynyard-street, on THURSDAY, the 11th instant, at 11 o'clock,
Several parcels of the above.
Particulars in Wednesday's issue.

1 Case Richardson's Plated-ware.

LOUIS COHEN and CO. have received instructions from the consignee to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 11, Wynyard-street, on TUESDAY, the 9th instant, at 11 o'clock,
1 case electroplated ware, comprising—
Tea and coffee services, mugs, and goblets.
Terms at sale.

Clearing-out Sale of Job Stock.
TUESDAY, the 9th instant.
By Order of Messrs. S. Hoffnung and Co.
WITHOUT RESERVE.

LOUIS COHEN and CO. have received instructions from Messrs. S. Hoffnung and Co. to sell by auction, at their Rooms, No. 11, Wynyard-street, on TUESDAY, the 9th instant, at 11 o'clock prompt,
A large and varied assortment of open stock comprising:—plateware, fancy goods, table and pocket cutlery, brushware, combware, mirrors, fancy bags, jewellery, sponges, bells, candlesticks, kerosene lamps, glassware, musical instruments, hall lamps, alabaster clocks, stationery, oil paintings, engravings, chromos, dolls, writing desks, work boxes, morocco, jewellery, and pipe cases, albums, American clocks, alarm clocks, stereoscopes, portmanteaus, portemonnaies, purses, perfumery, novels, opera and other glasses, gilt fancy goods, decanters, jugs, glass shades, French horns, ladies' companions, gentlemen's necessaries.

The whole of the above goods will be sold without the slightest reserve, being the job portion of the stock after removal of the firm to Pitt-street. The surplus portion of stock, comprising about 100 original packages, will be submitted under the same conditions, on TUESDAY, the 16th instant. In consequence of the number of lots it would be impossible to have the bulk goods sampled and sold at the same time as the open stock.
Terms at sale.

LISTER and GRISDALE will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 204, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
The whole of the unredeemed pledges, pawned with Thomas Hillard, 171, York-street, as previously advertised in HERALD.

Preliminary.
General Drapery
Clothing, &c.
To Warehousemen, Drapers, and others.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, THURSDAY, and FRIDAY next, at their Sale Rooms, Pitt-street,
Consignments of new and useful goods, now landing ex Harlaw and Northampton.
Particulars in Wednesday's HERALD.

GENERAL DRAPERY.
Hats, Blankets, Canvas, &c., &c.
For Positive Sale TO-MORROW, Tuesday, April 9.

WILLIAM PRICE and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 329, George-street, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, April 9, at 11 o'clock,
A large quantity of general drapery, &c. (to close sundry shipments, balances of stock, &c.), consisting of
Cotton hosiery, men's and women's
Woollen ditto, ditto ditto
Cotton undershirts, &c.
Woollen ditto
Crimean shirts in great variety, light grounds, and new styles
French felt hats
Cabbage-tree ditto
Black silk ditto
Prints
White and grey calicoes
Rough browns
Feathers, flowers, and trimmings
Kid gloves
Cambric handkerchiefs, cotton pockets
French merinoes
Sewed muslin goods
Blankets—white, blue, and scarlet
Carpet and leather bags
Canvas—navy and waggon, &c., &c.
Terms at sale.

Hobart Town Jams.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB will sell by auction, at their Rooms, O'Connell-street, on TUESDAY, 9th April, at 11 o'clock,
25 cases Hobart Town jams.
Terms at sale.

Moss Pork.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB will sell by auction, at their Rooms, O'Connell-street, on TUESDAY, 9th April, at 11 o'clock,
10 barrels prime moss pork.
Terms at sale.

Woolpacks.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB will sell by auction, at their Rooms, O'Connell-street, on TUESDAY, 9th April, at 11 o'clock,
185 woolpacks, more or less damaged.
Terms, cash.

FLOUR. FLOUR. FLOUR.
To Bakers, Millers, Contractors, and others.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB will sell by auction, at their Rooms, O'Connell-street, on TUESDAY, 9th April, at 11 o'clock,
40 bags Adelaide superfine flour
100 ditto superfine flour
50 ditto country flour.
Terms at sale.

ALE.
To Hotelkeepers, Wine Merchants, and others.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB will sell by auction, at their Rooms, O'Connell-street, on TUESDAY, 9th April, at 11 o'clock,
10 hogsheads ale
3 hogsheads Joule's ale.
And on account of ship British Consul,
2 hogsheads Marrian's ale.
Terms, cash.

Oilmen's Stores and Groceries.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB will sell by auction, at their Rooms, O'Connell-street, on TUESDAY, 9th April, at 11 o'clock,
300 cases oilmen's stores and groceries.
Terms at sale.

Sugars.
To Grocers, Storekeepers, and others.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB will sell by auction, at their Rooms, O'Connell-street, on TUESDAY, 9th April, at 11 o'clock,
Numerous parcels of sugars, various descriptions and qualities, in small and large bags.
Terms at sale.

For Positive Unreserved Sale by Auction.
FINEST WHITE CHINA RICE
OIL
GINGER
MEDICINE.
Ex Mary Hamilton, from Hongkong.
DAY OF SALE—TUESDAY, 9th APRIL.
To Merchants, Speculators, Storekeepers, Chinese Merchants, Country Buyers, and Shippers.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Pitt and O'Connell streets, on TUESDAY, 9th April, at 11 o'clock,
Without reserve,
Ex Mary Hamilton, from Hongkong,
AT 1— 50 boxes nut oil
2—1600 bags white rice, each 56 lbs
3— 7 boxes ginger
4— 30 ditto ginger
5— 1 box medicine
6— 2 boxes ditto.
8 in diamond.
684 bags white rice, each 56 lbs.

. Samples will be on view at the Sale Rooms, and orders for inspection of the bulk of the goods prior to sale, may be obtained from the auctioneers.
Every lot will positively be sold to the highest bidder.
Terms, cash.

On THURSDAY, 11th April, at 11 o'clock.
At the Australian Auction Rooms, Pitt and O'Connell streets.
Highly Important and Attractive Unreserved Sale by Auction.
72 Cases
MAGNIFICENTLY UPHOLSTERED SCOTCH FURNITURE
From one of the first houses in Glasgow.
Just landed in splendid condition,
Ex DUKE OF ATHOL.
To Gentlemen Furnishing, Upholsterers, Country Buyers, Fancy Warehousemen, Dealers, and others.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Pitt and O'Connell streets, on THURSDAY, April 11th, at 11 o'clock,
A superb shipment of handsome pier-glasses, drawing and dining room furniture, pianofortes, carpets, harmoniums, lustres, vases, ornaments, &c.
ELEGANT walnut shaped front serpentine chiffonieres, plate-glass back and doors, marble tops, 4 feet, 4 feet 6 inches, and 5 feet.
HANDSOME Walnut Loo Tables, shaped and oval
CHASTE Drawing-room Suites, in Walnut, consisting of lounge, easy chair, Victoria chair, and 6 chairs covered in damasks, repp, tabaret, &c., &c.
MASSIVE Dining-room Suites, consisting of couch, easy chair, lady's chair, 6 chairs, covered in morocco, French roans, &c.
VERY HANDSOME Oak Dining-room and Hall Furniture
ELEGANT Gilt Pier Carved Oval Chimney Glasses, 50 x 40, and 60 x 50
Ditto ditto, sh

FUNERALS.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. WILLIAM GEE, Bootmaker, are invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved SON, Alfred P. D.; to move from his residence, 599, George-street, near Goulburn-street, TO-MORROW (Tuesday) MORNING, at 9 o'clock, to Necropolis. C. KINSELA and SONS, Undertakers, George-street, opposite Christ Church; and South Head Road, near Crown-street.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. J. H. WILLSON, City Architect, are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, Norwood, to the Petersham station, THIS DAY, Monday, at 3 o'clock, for the Necropolis. R. STEWART, Undertaker, Bathurst-street.

THE FRIENDS of the deceased Mr. EDWARD PORTER, sen., are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, No. 478, Crown-street, Surry Hills, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock, to Necropolis. JAMES CURTIS, Undertaker, 59, Hunter-street.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

TENDERS.

Transferable and Remittable Fijian Government Debentures.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the subscribers until noon of WEDNESDAY, the 10th April, from persons desirous of purchasing the whole or any portion of Fijian Government Debentures, amounting to the sum of five thousand pounds, to be issued under authority of the Act 12 of Parliament of Fiji, subject to the undermentioned terms and conditions, viz.:—

1. Each tender must be for the amount of one or more debentures, and must be endorsed "Tender for Debentures."
2. The price tendered must be for the principal sum of the debentures, with accrued interest, from 31st December last.
3. In the event of equivalent tenders being received in excess of the debentures for disposal, a PRO RATA distribution will be made.
4. If the tender be accepted, debentures for such amounts as may be required will be issued, in sums of 125, 250, and 500 dollars, representing £25, £50, and £100 sterling each, secured upon the Consolidated Revenue of Fiji, and a collateral security on Crown lands in Fiji, and will bear interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, payable quarterly, on the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September, and 31st December in each year. Parties tendering should state in which of the above sums they wish the debentures issued.
5. The principal sum will be payable on 31st December, 1873, either in Sydney or Levuka, at the option of the holder, but notice must be given before the 1st July, 1873, of the place at which it is intended to present the Debentures for the payment of such Principal.
6. The Debentures will be dated 31st December, 1871, from which date the interest will commence. The first quarter's interest, falling due 31st March, 1872, will be payable with the second quarter's interest, falling due on the 30th June, 1872, in Sydney only; and, after that date, either in Sydney or Levuka, at the option of the holder.
7. The Debentures will be transferable by delivery.
8. The amount tendered, if accepted, must be paid in cash.

Further particulars may be obtained at our offices; or at the office of Messrs. ROXBURGH, SLADE, and SPAIN. RABONE, FEEZ, and CO., Wynyard-street.

AMUSEMENTS.

ROYAL VICTORIA THEATRE.
Stage Manager ..... Mr. JAMES H. RAINFORD.

TWO BURLESQUES, TO-NIGHT.
TO-NIGHT—TWO BURLESQUES.
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Mr. CHARLES YOUNG, TO-NIGHT.
Miss LYDIA HOWARDE—TO-NIGHT.
Miss ALICIA MANDEVILLE—TO-NIGHT.

First appearance of Mr. CHARLES YOUNG, on which occasion will be presented TWO BURLESQUES, to commence with

FRA DIAVOLO.
Beppo ..... Mr. CHARLES YOUNG
Fra Diavolo ..... Miss LYDIA HOWARDE
Zerlina ..... Miss ALICIA MANDEVILLE
Giacomo ..... Miss MAGGIE OLIVER
Lady Allcash ..... Miss PATTY HOLT
Lord Allcash ..... Mr. J. J. WELSH
Matteo ..... Mr. J. HASKER
Lorenzo ..... Mr. JAMES H. RAINFORD.

Powerful Company, superb dresses, splendid scenery—TO-NIGHT, TO-NIGHT.

To conclude with the celebrated Burlesque in its entirety entitled

ORPHEUS,
with the original powerful cast.

NO ADVANCE IN THE PRICES.

UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT,
and
LADY STEPHEN,
&c., &c., &c.

HERR CARL SCHMITT'S
COMPLIMENTARY CONCERT,
at the
MASONIC HALL,
THIS EVENING.

Prices of admission: Hall, 3s; gallery, 2s. A limited number of reserved chairs, at 5s, to be secured at Messrs. Elvy and Co.'s. Tickets to be had of Messrs. Elvy and Co., W. H. Paling, L. Moss, and Reading and Co.

Doors open at 7.30, overture to commence at 8 o'clock.

For Programme, see Saturday's issue.

Entrance for reserved chairs and hall, from York-street; gallery, from Clarence-street.

CAFE CHANTANT.
OPEN EVERY EVENING.
This popular establishment was ONE SEA OF HEADS on Saturday evening.
CHARLIE VERNER, the Lion Comique, has arrived, and will make his second appearance THIS EVENING.
Charlie Verner, the Irish Comedian, will please you.
Charlie Verner, the Negro Delineator, will make everybody laugh.
Charlie Verner is from the right school.
Charlie Verner was received with an ovation of rapturous applause on Saturday evening, and has stamped himself as an IMMENSE FAVOURITE.
Who can appreciate good talent when they see it? The Visitors to the Café Chantant.
HARRY RODGERS and CHARLIE WALLACE, Negro Delineators and Dancers, will make their second appearance THIS EVENING.
HARRY RODGERS and CHARLIE WALLACE.
Charlie Wallace and Harry Rodgers.
The long-looked for upside down CURE has arrived, and will appear This Evening.
The entire audience will enjoy themselves This Evening.
He is a CURE.
THE CURE. THE CURE. THE CURE,
THE UPSIDE DOWN CURE
is the greatest Hit of the day.
Miss LIZZIE HARTWELL, the Negro Delineator and Songstress.
ALICK O'BRIEN, BARRY O'NEILL, and HARRY KELLY are coming.
Look out for "O, HUSH."

A GRAND CONCERT, under the patronage of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance, will take place on MONDAY EVENING, April 8th, in Palmer-street Schoolroom.
Tickets, 1s each; children, 6d.
JOSEPH WEARNE, Esq., M.L.A., will take the chair; to commence at 7.30.
M. AIRD, Secretary.

SCANDINAVIAN HALL, Castlereagh-street.—Brilliant success of In Her Little Bed We laid Her, with tableaux by the trio sisters Ford. Farce of Duel in the Dark. New songs, duets, and dances. Admission, free.

SPENCER'S MECHANICAL EXHIBITION AND WAXWORKS, 222, Pitt-street, opposite Messrs. FARMER and CO.—The PUBLIC are respectfully informed that the WEAPONS with which the unfortunate passengers of the NEW GUINEA EXPEDITION were murdered have just been added to the Exhibition. Also, just arrived from Bombay, and now on view, the only living specimens in the colonies of the ICHNEUMON or SNAKE-KILLER, and the VARIEGATED QUILLED PORCUPINE. There is also added one of the most wonderful Freaks of Nature in the form of a Kitten with eight legs and two tails.

WAX FIGURES, life size, life-like, and elegantly costumed, 212, Pitt-street. 1s; children half-price.

SERUGIF-XAW.—Now on view, at 212, Pitt-street. Open daily. Admission, 1s; children, 6d.

DANCING.—Mr. W. KING'S Class, for Pupils and Visitors, This Evening. New Oddfellows' Hall.

DANCING.—Mr. W. CLARK'S Classes will RE-OPEN in a few days.

£50 REWARD.—SAYWELL'S ROYAL NAVY TOBACCO.—Complaints are continually made that some persons are offering for sale to shopkeepers a spurious colonial imitation of Saywell's Royal Navy Tobacco, representing the same to be genuine. One of the said persons is described as a tall young man, of the Jewish persuasion. The public, and especially shopkeepers, are warned to be on their guard against imposition. The above reward will be paid for such information as will lead to the conviction of the party or parties. THOMAS SAYWELL, 6, Park-street.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

AUSTRALIAN JOCKEY CLUB.—The acting honorary Secretaries beg to remind owners and breeders that the entries for the Champagne and Derby Stakes of 1873, St. Leger of 1874, and Sires' and Mares' Produce Stakes of 1874 and 1875, will close on THURSDAY, 11th April. For particulars see circulars and advertisements in TOWN AND COUNTRY JOURNAL and SYDNEY MAIL, on 30th March.

TATTERSALL'S CLUB.
Settling night for the Randwick Autumn Meeting, at the Club Room, THIS EVENING, April 8th. Chair to be taken at 8 o'clock.
By order of the Committee.
JAMES HERALD, Secretary.

ALLIANCE INVESTMENT AND BUILDING SOCIETY.
A SALE of the right to receive Advances upon Shares will take place at the Society's Office, Mort's-buildings, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Monday, the 8th April, at half-past 3 p.m.
By order of the Board of Directors.
J. R. TREEVE, Secretary.

ALLIANCE INVESTMENT AND BUILDING SOCIETY.
NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with Rule VI., Section 10, a Distribution by ballot of unpurchased Shares will take place at the Society's Office, Mort's-buildings, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Monday, the 8th April, at half-past 3 p.m.
By order of the Board of Directors.
J. R. TREEVE, Secretary.

COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY.
NOTICE.
A BRANCH of this Bank has been established at Murrurundi, for the transaction of all usual banking business.
T. A. DIBBS, Manager.
Sydney, 24th February, 1872.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.
This Bank is prepared to PURCHASE SILVER COIN in parcels of £10 and upwards, paying a premium thereon of 1 per cent.
S. MURRAY, Manager.
Sydney, 22nd March, 1872.

NOTICE.
OBAN TIN MINING COMPANY.
BAGOT and CLARKE'S Leases.

The following telegram has been received this day from Messrs. Bagot and Clarke:—
"Advertise that unwarranted use made of our names by Great Northern. Only forty acres, an isolated block of our land, is included in theirs."
Sydney, 6th April.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
HENRY NEWTON,
BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTURER,
from 36, York-street,
to
Commerce Hall, 788, George-street South.

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to the Parliament of New South Wales during the ensuing session for leave to introduce a bill to empower PETER STEWART, JOHN MACDONALD, ROBERT CAMPBELL, JAMES CAMERON, WILLIAM BUYERS, DUNCAN ST. CLARE MACLARDY, JAMES EWAN, and DUNCAN KENNEDY M'INTYRE, or the survivors or survivor of them, to sell certain land and premises situated in Harrington-street, Sydney, being allotment 3a of section 84, granted to them by the Crown upon trust for the erection thereon of a Presbyterian church, as therein mentioned, and to apply the proceeds of the sale in or towards satisfaction of the debts due on St. George's Church, Sydney, being a church in connexion with the Synod of Eastern Australia.
Dated this eighteenth day of March, A.D. 1872.
STEPHEN and STEPHEN, Solicitors for the bill, New Pitt-street, Sydney.

TAKE NOTICE, that I have, in pursuance of the powers enabling me so to do contained in the bill of sale from Messrs. PARKINSON and MAYER to myself, of the 27th day of October last, taken possession, and that I am now in possession of all and singular the plant, engines, machinery, tools, patterns, stock-in-trade, goods, and chattels specified in the schedule thereto, and all which are now in or about the factory and premises in Bathurst-street, now under lease to Messrs. Parkinson and Mayer; and also of all and singular the plant, engines, machinery, tools, patterns, stock-in-trade, goods, and chattels belonging to the said Messrs. Parkinson and Mayer, now on the said premises.
Dated the sixth day of April, 1872.
THOS. BARKER.

THE PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between Messrs. BEAUMONT and WALLER, Timber Merchants and Builders, having been DISSOLVED on the 31st day of March last, persons indebted to the estate are requested to pay all moneys due forthwith to Mr. WILLIAM BEAUMONT, at the office of the late firm, REGENT-STREET. Any accounts due by the said firm will be paid on presentation.
April 5, 1872.
The BUSINESS will be carried on as heretofore by the surviving partner, Mr. WILLIAM BEAUMONT.

NOTICE.—The undersigned respectfully requests that all CLAIMS against him may be sent in, under cover, to the offices of Messrs. Flood, Atkinson, and Co., 8, Macquarie-pl., Sydney. J. H. ATKINSON. 6th April, 1872.

I HEREBY authorise my Son, F. A. BLISS, to receive all MONEYS due to the late firm of R. DAWSON and CO., whose receipt shall be a sufficient discharge and valid payment.
LOUISA DAWSON.
Witness, this 6th day of April, 1872:
DAVID OGILVIE.
E. F. BLISS, x his mark.

I DO HEREBY CAUTION all parties against paying any amount due to me, or giving any credit on my account to P. F. DONOHOE, without my written authority.
D. HARRISON,
Royal Hotel, Uralla.

NOTICE.
BLACKWALL STORES, CIRCULAR QUAY.

TO CAPTAINS, OWNERS, and MERCHANTS.
The undersigned, having taken out POLICIES of INSURANCE to the amount of £50,000 in the following offices, namely:—
Liverpool and London ..... £20,000.
The Victoria ..... £17,500.
Ditto Pacific ..... £8,000.
Ditto Sydney ..... £4,500.
On WOOL and other PRODUCE, for shipment in such ships as may be loaded at the above Stores, for London or elsewhere, begs to inform you that these policies are taken out to secure you against loss by fire while such produce remains in the Stores, no additional charge will be made for insurance, except such as may be stipulated in the contract.
EDWARD FLOOD.
P.S.—The above Policies of Insurance can be seen at my office, on application to Mr. Solomon.
December 16, 1871.

TENDERS.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS will be received on THURSDAY, the 11th instant, for the erection of a House in Kent-street. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of Mr. THOMAS ROWE, Architect, Nos. 5, 6, and 7, Vickery's-chambers.

TO IRON FOUNDERS.—TENDERS are invited for the CONSTRUCTION and FIXING of a CAST IRON SECTION OF TANK for GAS HOLDER at the Haymarket Station of the Australian Gas Light Company.
Plans and specification can be seen on application to Mr. G. ALLEN MANSFIELD, Architect, 165, Pitt-street, Sydney, to whom Tenders are to be addressed, on or before TUESDAY, 23rd instant, at 12 o'clock noon.

TO CONTRACTORS.—TENDERS are invited for the EXCAVATION and CONSTRUCTION of a TANK for GAS HOLDER, at the HAYMARKET STATION of the AUSTRALIAN GAS-LIGHT COMPANY.
Plans and specifications can be seen on application to Mr. G. ALLEN MANSFIELD, ARCHITECT, 165, Pitt-street, to whom tenders are to be addressed on or before TUESDAY, 23rd INSTANT, at 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

MUNICIPALITY OF FIVE DOCK.
NOTICE is hereby given, that TENDERS will be received, up to noon, on MONDAY, the 15th instant, for the undermentioned, viz.:—
For FORMING and REPAIRING portions of Road from Parramatta Road to Bedlam Ferry.
For supplying BALLAST and METAL at per ton.
Specification can be seen, and all information obtained, on application to Mr. J. CROKER, Post-office, Five Dock.
The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.
GEO. A. HEWETT,
Council Clerk.
Council Chambers, Five Dock, 3rd April, 1872.

TENDERS required for the erection of a house, at the corner of Crown and Landsdown streets, Surry Hills. Plans, &c., to be seen at the office of A. THORNLEY, jun., Architect, Arundel-terrace, Glebe.

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D. MACQUARIE.
Patent Slip, Newcastle, 4th April, 1872.

WANTED, TENDERS for Plastering 2 Houses in Donnelly-st., Balmain. J. Booth, Surbiton House.

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The largest sale of any in Australia.
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Iron Bedsteads and Children's Cots, a large assortment on hand and low prices
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Marine Board Office, Sydney,
4th April, 1872.
APPLICATIONS for the office of Secretary to the Marine Board will be received up to noon of MONDAY, the 8th instant. Full particulars can be obtained at this office.
FRANCIS HIXSON, President.

A GENTLEMAN, experienced, desires the management of a sheep station, where he could take a moneyed interest. Address Jumbuk, Blake and Co., Mort's-passage.

A MANAGER is required for the Britannia Tin Mines, Cape's Creek, Inverell. Applications to be made to the Proprietors, under cover to Mr. J. Tyson, Armidale. References required.

A RESIDENT GOVERNESS required (in addition to present staff); a knowledge of French essential; no other accomplishment necessary. Belmore College, 169, Macquarie-street, opposite Inner Domain.

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A GOOD CABINETMAKER, wanted; piece work. C. Artlett and Son, Rushcutter Bay.

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BOOTMAKERS.—Wanted, General WORKMAN, single man, good wages. Blaney, 679, George-st.

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DRESSMAKERS.—Several thoroughly competent ASSISTANTS. D. Jones and Co.

DRESSMAKING.—Competent Assistant required; vacancy 2 or 3 improvers. Mrs. Doak, Wynyard-sq. W.

GULGONG PUBLIC HOSPITAL.
A MEDICAL OFFICER is required for the above HOSPITAL. Will be required to dispense in hospital for inmates, and out-door patients attending at the hospital. Average weekly number of inmates, 12; out door, 5. Must be registered under the Medical Board of New South Wales; salary, £150 per annum, with right of private practice. Applications, under cover, to be addressed to the undersigned up to 6 p.m., MONDAY, 15th April. By order,
J. F. DE COURCY BROWNE, Hon. Secretary.

MANTLES.—Wanted, first-class HANDS and APPRENTICES. P. F. Dalton, 90, King-street.

MILLINERY.—Wanted, IMPROVERS and APPRENTICES to the millinery. Dalton, 90, King-st.

MILLINERY, Vacancies for APPRENTICES, for shop and work-room. Miss Thynne, 100, King-st.

MILLINERY.—Wanted, this morning, a good SALESWOMAN. Pringle, 261, Pitt-street.

MINING VENTURE.—PARTNER.—Wanted, £1250, either in one, two, three, four, or five amounts of £250 each. A guarantee will be given for the return of 50 per cent. in six months for the above amount. Particulars by interview to-morrow (Tuesday). Address Mineral, HERALD Office.

MEDICAL.—Loyal Heart and Hand Lodge, No. 61, Nundle.—In consequence of the death of the Medical Officer of the above Lodge, a vacancy occurs for a duly qualified MEDICAL PRACTITIONER. Large practice. No medical man within forty miles. For further particulars apply to the Secretary of the above Lodge.

MEDICAL MAN WANTED—TENTERFIELD, NEW ENGLAND.—There being at present no medical man in Tenterfield, there is a good opening for a duly qualified practitioner, as may be ascertained upon inquiry.
Tenterfield is the centre of a large agricultural and mining population, which is rapidly increasing owing to the recent tin discoveries in its vicinity. The office of medical attendant to the local hospital is now vacant.

REQUIRED, immediately, a resident GOVERNESS in Ladies' School. P. S., Maddock's, George-street.

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TO TAILORS.—Wanted, a Coat and Trousers HAND. R. Douglas, 19, Hunter-street.

TO TAILORS.—Wanted, good COATMAKERS, H. Savage, George-street.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, first-class Coat, Vest, and Trousers HANDS. Moore, Henderson, and Bowcher's Factory, Bank-court, King-street.

UNDERCLOTHING.—Wanted, an experienced PERSON, to take the management of making. A liberal salary given. Watts and Evers, manufacturers to A. M'Arthur and Co., 152, Clarence-street.

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WANTED, first-class MANTLE-MAKERS. Apply Mrs. Sewell, Thompson & Giles's, Denison House.

WANTED, a respectable YOUTH, quick at figures and accustomed to office work. B. F., HERALD.

WANTED, a Surveyor's DRAUGHTSMAN. Apply to G. A. Mudie, Esq, Survey Office.

WANTED, APPRENTICE, to the Wheelwrighting. G. and A. Morrison, Goulburn-street.

WANTED, MEN, for Elastic Sides. Condell, 588, George-street.

WANTED, Blucher HANDS. Condell, 588, George-street.

WANTED, a good brush HAND. 7, Edward-street, South Head Road, sharp.

WANTED, a CABINETMAKER. T. Moore's Furniture Bazaar, 337 and 339, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a first-class COACHSMITH; also Improver to Blacksmithing. Horton, Grose-st, Glebe.

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WANTED, a Singer's MACHINIST; also, 3 with own machines; Tackers. Op. Elvy's, Wynyard-lane.

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A PRACTICAL Landscape GARDENER is disengaged. Any one requiring the services of such, may communicate with P. L. G., HERALD Office.

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WANTED, by a young Man, a PLACE, in town or country store. W. B. Haigh, 221, Pitt-street.

WANTED, by a married Man, Situation, as Gardener and General Servant. A. B. Pierce, William-st.

WANTED, SITUATION, General Servant, in small family; middle-aged; low wages. 535, Kent-st.

WANTED, a SITUATION, as Wetnurse, by a healthy Englishwoman. 368, Castlereagh-street.

WANTED, SITUATION, by steady young Man, garden, milk, mow, or take charge of gentleman's place. Apply by letter, H. O., 433, South Pitt-street, Sydney.

WANTED, by a married Man, to keep offices, &c., clean or to look after premises; accommodation only; required the highest credentials and security. Address F. C., HERALD Office. Open for a week.

WANTED, by a middle-aged man, a SITUATION as Collector, Messenger, Office-keeper, or any place of trust. Twenty years' character, and security if required. E. F. P., HERALD Office.

WANTED, by a respectable young (married) man a SITUATION in a general or wholesale store, not afraid of work. First-class references. Address S. T., HERALD Office.

WANTED, by a married man, no family, SITUATION on a station as storekeeper, or storekeeper and sheep overseer. 5 years' reference from last situation. Open for a week. Address G. B. R., Cooper, news agent, Railway Bridge, Parramatta-street.

WANTED, SITUATION as Companion to a Lady; HOUSEKEEPER or Nursery GOVERNESS, by a young Lady of good connexion, and who can produce high personal references with regard to character. Being inexperienced, a small salary will be taken. City or suburbs preferred. Quinteses, HERALD Office.

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AN active experienced HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID. Apply before 1 o'clock on Tuesday and Wednesday. Mrs. Augustus Morris, 3, Roslyn-terrace, Macleay-street.

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WANTED, a smart BOY, one used to the tailoring preferred. George Lorking, 303, George-street.

WANTED, a strong LAD as Smith's Helper, for South Head. Trigge and Marr, Clarence-street.

WANTED, a strong LAD; slight knowledge of carpentering preferred. J. Buckland, 204, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a WAITER and BARMAN. W. Brown, labour agent, 207, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a smart BARMAN; also a smart Youth. Cafe Chantant, York-street, 10 o'clock.

WANTED, an intelligent YOUTH. Apply Maddock's Select Library, 383, George-street.

WANTED, for the Union Club, an experienced WAITER. Apply House Steward, after 9; refs.

WANTED, a strong Man, as GROOM, for bus horses. M. Clarke's stables, Brougham-street.

WANTED, an old MAN to mind Cows. Apply between 10 and 11. W. Coops, Waverley.

WANTED, BUTLERS, and General Servants, 1 for 3 in family. Mr. Haigh, labour agent, 221, Pitt-st.

WANTED, a first-class Female COOK. Apply Horner's Hotel, Wynyard-square.

WANTED, COOK and LAUNDRESS, Parlour Maid, and Nurse. The Home, Cowper-terrace.

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WANTED, HOUSEMAID, who can wash. Mrs. Longford, Blue Bell, Erskine-street.

WANTED, a young GIRL, for housework (Protestant). 488, Crown-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, a smart active Girl as BARMAID. Empire Hotel, 516, George-street.

WANTED, a GIRL, about 16, to help in housework. 7, Belgrave-terrace, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, an active Young Girl as NURSE. 153, Forbes-street, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, a respectable young NURSEGIRL. Mrs. M. C. Bohrsmann, 39, South Head Road.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL, about 13 or 14. Apply Printers' Arms, Liverpool-st., Darlinghurst.

WANTED, a strong, active GIRL, willing to be useful. Apply 207, Macquarie-street North.

WANTED, a NURSEGIRL; to sleep out. 315, George-street.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. No. 1, Wrenville-terrace, Moncur-street, Woollahra.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. 30, Wynyard-square East.

WANTED, General SERVANTS for suburbs. Home, Mrs. Vipond, 24, Burton-st., South Hd. Rd.

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WANTED, good General SERVANT, with references. Apply Mrs. Hobbs, 35, Pitt-st., Redfern.

WANTED, a strong Girl, as General SERVANT. Wollongong Hotel, corner of Kent & Bathurst sts.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT, small family. 2, Charlotte-place, Old South Hd. Rd., Woollahra.

WANTED, a smart active GIRL, to do housework. References required. 33, Hunter-street, next Union Bank.

WANTED, a HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID. Apply to Mrs. Edward R. Fairfax, 189, Macquarie-street.

WANTED, a competent HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID; also a NURSE. References required. Apply to Mrs. Windeyer, Victoria-terrace, Victoria-street.

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A LARGE Double-bedded ROOM Vacant, at 149, Forbes-street, near William-street.

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APARTMENTS vacant, 219, Macquarie-street, opposite the Council-chambers.

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A SUITE and separate ROOMS vacant, at Mrs. Martin's, 179, Macquarie-street North.

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TO LET, furnished or unfurnished, BEDROOM, SITTING-ROOM. Robertson, Wemyss-st., Stanmore.

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